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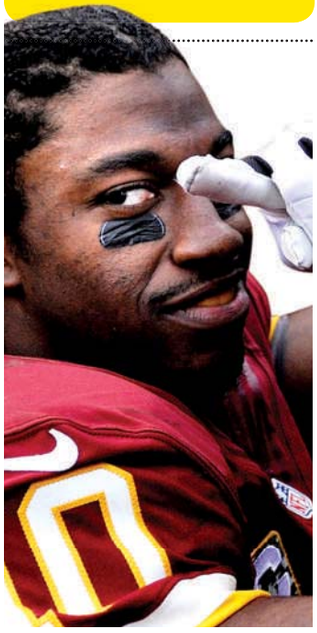

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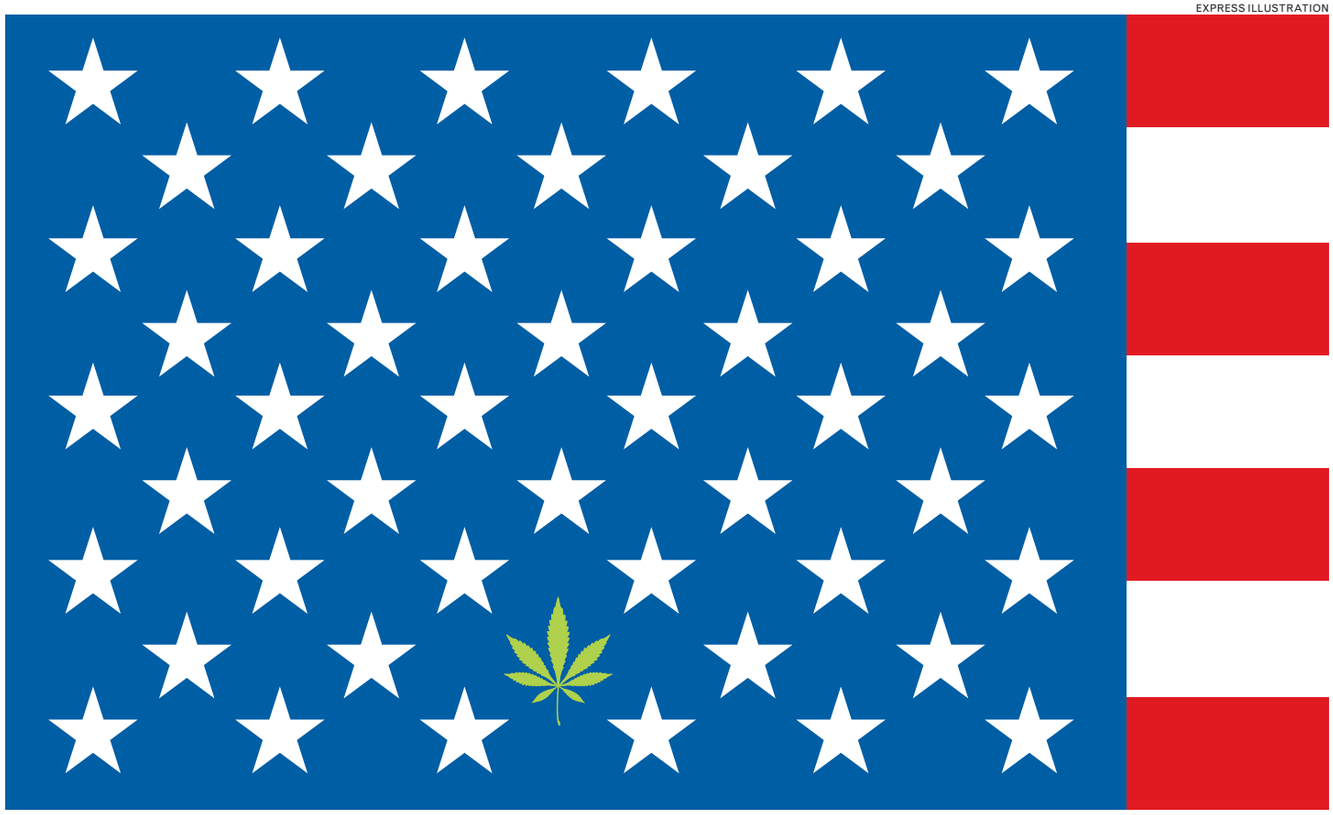

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Hard-of-Hearing Mall Santa Completely Baffled by Firing

A mall in Maine has sacked Santa Claus after complaints that he was rude and grumpy. Jessica Mailhiot said the Santa wouldn't let her 6-year-old daughter, Chantal, sit on his lap because they didn't buy a $20 photo. Mailhiot added that when Chantal asked for an American Girl doll, Santa told her she'd get an "American football." Officials at the Maine Mall in South Portland say they're looking for a jollier Santa. (AP)

GIFT IDEAS

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EMPLOYMENT

The LinkedIn Endorsement Really Went Too Far Though

A judge in England who told a burglar in September that it took a "huge amount of courage" to raid three homes in five days was given a formal reprimand, the Telegraph reported Tuesday. The official inquiry into Judge Peter Bowers found his comments to Richard Rochford were offensive to victims of crime and damaged public confidence in the judicial system. (EXPRESS)

The Big Picture

PETER KNEFFEL/AFP/GETTY IMAGES

SANTA'S ELVES OPTED TO SWIM WITH DOLPHINS: A diver dressed as Santa Claus swims Thursday with a nurse shark in the Sea Life Aquarium in Munich. People in Germany celebrate Saint Nicholas Day on Dec. 6.

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DeMint Resigning From Senate

Strict conservative to become president of D.C. think tank

Columbia, S.C.

Republican U.S. Sen. Jim DeMint, a tea party favorite known for bucking party leaders to back challenges to centrist veterans he didn't view as conservative enough, said Thursday he was resigning to take the helm of a conservative think tank.

The South Carolina lawmaker said in a statement he was stepping down to become president of the Heritage Foundation. His office said his resignation is effective Jan. 1.

His job with the foundation starts Jan. 3, but DeMint won't officially become president until April 3, when founder Edwin Feulner retires, said foundation spokesman Jim Weidman.

Republican Gov. Nikki Haley will appoint DeMint's Senate successor. She told a Greenville talk radio station she plans to pick someone who will fight for conservative ideas. She didn't specify anyone she favored, but she did take one name out of contention.

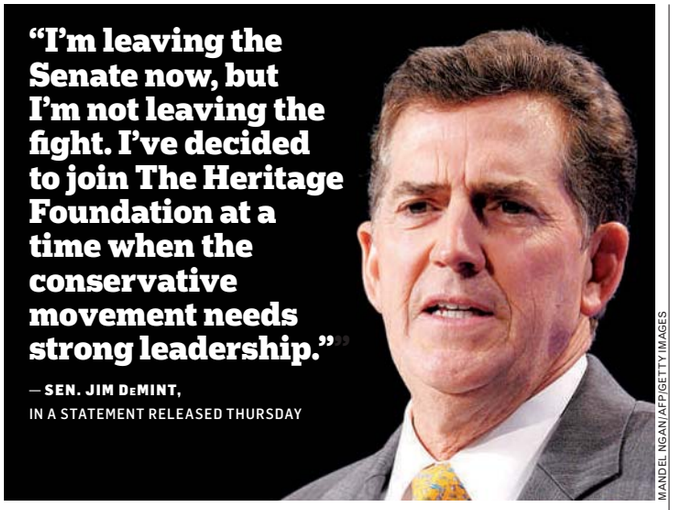
"I will not be appointing myself," Haley told WORD-FM. "That's not even an option."

DeMint has "made it known" that he wants Rep. Tim Scott, R-S.C., to replace him, the Hill reported Thursday.

Whomever Haley appoints would face a special election in 2014 to finish DeMint's term, which expires in 2016.

South Carolina GOP Chairman Chad Connelly said DeMint redefined how the U.S. Senate worked, taking principled stands against party leaders. "He's been a conservative rock star," Connelly said. "I'm sure the conservatives in South Carolina will be heartbroken."

SEANNA ADCOX (AP)



"I'm leaving the Senate now, but I'm not leaving the fight. I've decided to join The Heritage Foundation at a time when the conservative movement needs strong leadership."

— SEN. JIM DEMINT, IN A STATEMENT RELEASED THURSDAY

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Backstory

Jim DeMint was elected to the U.S. House in 1998, where he served for three terms, and to the U.S. Senate in 2004, replacing Ernest "Fritz" Hollings. DeMint easily won re-election in 2010. Earlier this year, DeMint formally cut ties with his political action committee, the Senate Conservatives Fund. According to a Washington Post analysis, DeMint is among the poorest members of Congress. His estimated wealth in 2010 was $40,501. (AP)

Apple to Make Line of Macs in U.S. Next Year

New York

Apple CEO Tim Cook said that the company will produce one of its existing lines of Mac computers in the United States next year.

Cook made the comments in an interview that aired Thursday morning on "Today."

In a separate interview with Bloomberg Businessweek, he said the company will spend $100 million in 2013 to move production of the line to the U.S. from China.

The company and its manufacturing partner Foxconn Technology Group have faced significant criticism this year over working conditions at the Chinese facilities where Apple products are assembled. The attention prompted Foxconn to raise salaries. (AP)

Washington State Same-Sex Marriage Law Takes Effect

DAVID RYDER/GETTY IMAGES

JANE ABBOTT LIGHTLY, LEFT, AND PETE-E PETERSON embrace Thursday after receiving the first same-sex marriage license in Washington state at the King County Recorder's Office in Seattle. The office opened at 12:01 a.m. to begin issuing marriage licenses to same-sex couples for the first time after voters chose to legalize it in November.

In Brief

WASHINGTON

Census: Decline in Illegal Immigration Continues

New census data released Thursday shows that the number of illegal immigrants in the U.S. dropped to an estimated 11.1 million last year from a peak of 12 million in 2007, part of an overall waning of Hispanic immigration. For the first time since 1910, Hispanic immigration last year was topped by immigrants from Asia. (AP)

PITTSBURGH

Zoo Removing Deck Where Boy Fell to Death

The Pittsburgh Zoo is removing an observation deck from which a 2-year-old boy fell before he was fatally mauled by wild African dogs in an exhibit below, a district attorney said Thursday. Last week an attorney announced that Elizabeth Derkosh won't be prosecuted in the Nov. 4 death of her son, Maddox. (AP)

NEW YORK

Bloomberg: NYC Working On Storm Preparedness

New York City will work on upgrading building codes and evacuation-zone maps, hardening power and transportation networks and making sure hospitals are better prepared for extreme weather after Superstorm Sandy, Mayor Michael Bloomberg said Thursday. (AP)

SALT LAKE CITY

Mormons Unveil Website On LGBT Community

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints unveiled a new website Thursday encouraging church members to be more compassionate in discussions about homosexuality. Church officials still say marriage is only between a man and a woman. (AP)

5M

The number of paid subscribers popular streaming music service Spotify has reached, the company said and Venture Beat reported Thursday. (EXPRESS)

Nation

Obama Takes Fiscal Cliff Talk to the Public

Falls Church, Va.

President Barack Obama, trying to put a personal touch on fiscal cliff negotiations, visited a Northern Virginia family's basement apartment Thursday to press his hard line on tax rate increases for the wealthy.

"We're in the midst of the Christmas season," Obama said, sitting at a table in the Santana family's Falls Church home. "I think the American people are counting on this getting solved. The closer it gets to the brink, the more stress there is going to be."

Obama and lawmakers have until the end of the year to avert across-the-board spending cuts and tax increases. The president reiterated the firm stance he has taken in recent days, warning that he's willing to let that economy-rattling double whammy take effect if Republicans don't drop their opposition to higher tax rates for the wealthy.

"Just to be clear, I'm not going to sign any package that somehow prevents the top rate from going up for the folks in the top 2 percent," Obama said. "But I do remain optimistic that we can get something done that is good for families like this one and is good for the American economy."

The president's quick trip was part of an effort to rally public support for his tax proposals. The family whose home he visited is one of many who shared their stories online of how they would be hurt if their taxes went up at the end of the year. The president will travel to Detroit on Monday.

Obama and House Speaker John Boehner spoke on the phone Wednesday, their first known conversation in nearly a week. Neither side provided details of the call, but the White House said the lines of communication with Capitol Hill Republicans were open and there had been multiple conversations between staff. DAVID ESPO (AP)

Meanwhile ...

Fifty-six percent of voters trust President Barack Obama and his Democratic allies to make "good faith" efforts to deal with Republicans on pressing issues, including the fiscal cliff talks, according to a poll released Thursday. In contrast, the survey by Quinnipiac University found that 51 percent said Republicans won't make such an effort and 43 percent said they will. Meanwhile, Obama's approval mark reached 53 percent with 40 percent who disapprove of his performance. (BLOOMBERG)

Hearsay

"I've decided not to decide. You can't hold on forever doing that, but I've decided to focus on my family and my job."

— **REP. PAUL RYAN, R-WISC.,** IN AN INTERVIEW TO TIME MAGAZINE TO BE PUBLISHED DEC. 17 ABOUT A POSSIBLE 2016 PRESIDENTIAL BID, SOMETHING HIS ADVISERS "ADMIT HE IS EYEING"

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World

In Brief

GUATEMALA CITY

McAfee Hospitalized After Asylum Denied

McAfee

Software company founder John McAfee was hospitalized Thursday after being denied political asylum in Guatemala. His lawyers said they were making a last-ditch effort to keep him from being flown back to Belize for questioning about the killing of a fellow American expatriate who was shot to death in November on the island where both men lived. (AP)

NEW BATAAN, PHILIPPINES

Typhoon Death Toll Rises To 370; 400 Still Missing

More than 400 people remained missing Thursday after Typhoon Bopha struck the southern Philippines this week. More than 370 people have been confirmed dead so far. Authorities planned to display about 80 newly washed bodies in coffins at a church Friday in New Bataan, hoping relatives will identify them. (AP)

KABUL, AFGHANISTAN

New Intel Chief Survives Taliban Suicide Attack

A Taliban suicide bomber posing as a messenger of peace blew himself up near Afghanistan's newly appointed intelligence chief on Thursday, seriously wounding him, officials said. The Taliban claimed responsibility for the attack on Asadullah Khalid — the fifth such assassination attempt on his life in as many years, the officials added. (AP)

WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND

Rare Tornado Kills 3

An unusually destructive tornado swept through neighborhoods around New Zealand's largest city Thursday, killing three people and forcing 250 others to evacuate their damaged homes in the suburbs of Auckland. The small tornado was the deadliest the country has seen in more than 60 years. (AP)

Assad Tightens Hold on Capital

Life in Damascus grows increasingly restricted amid war

Beirut

Instead of a quick half-hour trip home from her class at Damascus University, Lama Issa says she now must maneuver through security checkpoints, army tanks and blast walls — a two-hour journey that is often terrifying.

That's the new price of an uneasy security these days in the Syrian capital, the seat of power for President Bashar Assad.

Rebels have set their sights on the city of 1.7 million, and fighting on the outskirts is raising fears that Damascus soon could be facing the most brutal battle of the Syrian civil war.

"All these checkpoints make me feel like we're under occupation. Yet I have to remind myself that these are Syrian soldiers," Issa, a 22-year-old student, said.

It is largely through a massive security clampdown that Assad maintains his grip over much of the capital. But the checkpoints and clogged traffic are adding to Syrians' woes, including power cuts lasting several hours a day, shortages of heating fuel and diesel, and long lines for bread. Many city streets and squares are teeming with soldiers.

Activists and residents say the security measures increased markedly this summer after a bomb ripped through a meeting of top security chiefs.

Fighting around Damascus and the international airport a few miles south of the city has intensified in recent days as rebels press a battle they hope will finish Assad's regime.

The government responded with an unprecedented tightening of security, and some of the measures — such as endless checkpoints and blast walls — seem more like Baghdad in the worst days of the Iraq war.

In addition to the checkpoints, a maze of concrete blast walls and barriers protect the entrances to government ministries, security buildings and other institutions.

ZEINA KARAM (AP)

Speaking Out

"Events on the ground in Syria are accelerating. ... We've made it very clear what our position is with respect to chemical weapons."

SECRETARY OF STATE HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON, ON THURSDAY DISCUSSING THE HARD LINE WASHINGTON HAS SOUNDED OVER INDICATIONS THAT SYRIA MAY USE CHEMICAL WEAPONS ON ITS PEOPLE

"We haven't taken any sensational decisions, but I think we have agreed that the situation is bad."

LAKHDAR BRAHIMI, THE U.N. PEACE ENVOY TO SYRIA, SPEAKING THURSDAY AFTER MEETING WITH HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON AND RUSSIA'S FOREIGN MINISTER

Meanwhile ...

Diplomatic efforts to end Syria's civil war moved forward Thursday with U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton joining Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov and Lakhdar Brahimi, the U.N. peace envoy to the Arab country, for extraordinary three-way talks that suggested Washington and Moscow might finally unite behind a strategy as Bashar Assad's regime weakens. (AP)

A Tentative Calm Amid Egypt's Crisis

HASSAN AMMAR/AP

TANKS GUARD THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE in Cairo after the Egyptian army sealed off the premises Thursday. A day earlier, fierce clashes between supporters and opponents of President Mohammed Morsi killed at least six people and injured nearly 700. Morsi offered nothing concrete to defuse the country's political crisis in a nationally televised speech late Thursday, refusing to rescind a disputed constitution drafted by his allies or his decrees giving him near absolute powers.

Hearsay

"I told him: 'I am going through what you are going through, almost.' "

— **LIU XIA,** ON THURSDAY SAYING THAT HER JAILED ACTIVIST HUSBAND, LIU XIAOBO, KNOWS SHE HAS BEEN UNDER HOUSE ARREST SINCE HE WON THE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE IN 2010. SHE WEPT IN SHOCK WHEN TWO ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTERS SNUCK IN TO SEE HER; IT WAS HER FIRST INTERVIEW IN 26 MONTHS. HER GUARDS APPARENTLY WERE AT LUNCH.

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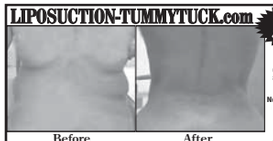
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Horsing Around

It wasn't so long ago that some Washingtonians' preferred method for traveling around town was horse-drawn carriage. And by not so long ago, I mean last week. I was walking along New York Avenue, just east of the Convention Center, when I heard the clip-clop of hooves.

Sure enough, smack in the middle of the Hondas and the Buicks — at the tail end of the evening rush — came a sight straight out of a history book. I exchanged a look of disbelief with a CrossFitter carrying a massive kettlebell down the sidewalk, and the carriage rolled away.

Was it a dream? Time travel? Nope, it was Carriages of the Capital, a 14-year-old company that provides fairy tale-worthy transportation to the people of the District.

It's been alone in the carriage biz since its only competition, Charley Horse, shuttered a few months ago. (I was also surprised to learn that Charley Horse's stables were located under the Southeast Freeway, just north of the Navy Yard.)

Details

Trips by Carriages of the Capital (Carriagesofthecapital.com, 202-841-7401) typically depart from the Willard InterContinental (1401 Pennsylvania Ave. NW), but Marcia Brody and her partner, Rick Jones, can customize routes for their three carriages. A one-hour tour for a group of up to six passengers costs $175.

Carriages of the Capital's Marcia Brody explains that the company's horses get trucked from their place in Frederick County into Washington, and then they start to stretch their legs at a "staging area" near where I spotted her driving the carriage along New York Avenue. Usually, she and the horses head over to the Willard InterContinental hotel, where visitors can book rides around the Mall and the monuments.

By Vicky Hallett

Unlike other cities, which have laws limiting where horses are allowed to travel, "Washington's great because we're not restricted in where we can go," says Brody, who's taken passengers for jaunts through Georgetown, along the waterfront and even into Adams Morgan.

Motorists don't mind the four-legged company, and the feeling's mutual: "We select horses who can handle traffic. One just doesn't love Harleys and skateboards."

But everyone hearts the horses, Brody says, particularly in December. That's peak season, when the carriages get all decked out for the holidays, the horses don jingle bells and nearly every ride includes a visit to the Capitol Christmas Tree. (For gentlemen proposing at that site, Brody boasts a 100 percent success rate.)

As long as the carriage is at a stop, passersby are welcome to pose for pictures and give the horses treats. Luckily for anyone around, the step back into history doesn't involve stepping in anything else. Brody says that black nylon "diapers" suspended from the harness and attached to the carriage collect any poop dropped along the way.

Sounds neat.

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Local

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The Wheaton Metro station is one of five Red Line stations that will be closed.

WASHINGTON

Metro to Close 5 Red Line Stops for Weekend Work

Metro plans to close five stations on the Red Line for weekend work. The Takoma, Silver Spring, Forest Glen, Wheaton and Glenmont stations will close at 10 p.m. Friday and will remain closed through Sunday. Metro said it will provide free shuttle buses for customers traveling through the work zone. Customers using the buses should allow up to an hour of additional travel time. (AP)

WASHINGTON

First Washington Times Editor Dies in Miami

The man who served as the first editor of the Washington Times and left in a public dispute with its Unification Church owners has died. James R. Whelan died Saturday at his home in Miami of multiple organ failure. Whelan was recruited in 1982 to join the newly created newspaper. The paper was initially viewed with skepticism because it was started by a media company owned by the Rev. Sun Myung Moon's South Korea-based Unification Church. (AP)

LAUREL, MD.

Construction Workers Fall 20 Feet From Building

Fire officials say two construction workers were hurt when they fell 20 feet while working on a building in Laurel. It happened about 11:30 a.m. Thursday at a construction site at Brickyard Square. Firefighters say the men fell while working in a four-story building under construction. The men were taken to a trauma center with serious injuries. (AP)

New Marriage Licenses Out in Md.

Same-sex couples will be eligible to wed starting Jan. 1

Annapolis, Md.

Elated same-sex couples began getting marriage licenses in Maryland on Thursday, though they won't go into effect until Jan. 1.

Kim Hinken was the first person to get a marriage license in Anne Arundel County Circuit Court. The 52-year-old Edgewater resident said she has waited nearly 10 years to become legally married to Adrianne Eathorne.

"I never thought that this would happen," Hinken said. "I really imagined my life as being just with a partner and never having a wife, so to have this day come about and to be a part of it, it means everything to me. It means that finally I can say that I live with my wife and that I'm married. It makes me feel really a part of society."

Gov. Martin O'Malley, a Democrat, earlier in the day signed a proclamation affirming that Maryland voters approved same-sex marriage in a ballot question last month. The formal proclamation enabled couples to get marriage licenses ahead of the Jan. 1 effective date.

O'Malley signed legislation to allow same-sex marriage in March, but opponents gathered enough signatures to put the measure on the ballot. Voters approved the ballot question last month with 52 percent of the vote.

BRIAN WITTE/AP

Scott Bowling gets a marriage license in Anne Arundel County Circuit Court.

Scott Bowling, a 41-year-old Annapolis resident, got a license to marry his partner right after Hinken. He thanked O'Malley and lawmakers who fought to get the measure through.

"It's just heartwarming that we stand here today in this chapel where one year ago we would not have been welcomed," Bowling said in an interview in the courthouse chapel.

Couples who get a license far enough in advance will satisfy the state's 48-hour waiting period requirement, so that they can be married at 12:01 a.m. Jan. 1.

BRIAN WITTE (AP)

A Family Affair for Tree Lighting

ALEX BRANDON/AP

PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA, first lady Michelle Obama, daughters Malia and Sasha, and Michelle Obama's mother, Marian Robinson, take part in the 90th annual National Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony at the White House on Thursday.

Metro to Extend Silver Line for Safety Reasons

Washington

Metro says safety is behind a decision to extend the Silver Line.

The transit agency says the track near the Stadium-Armory stop that was planned to turn around trains is short. And it can't be retrofitted with switches federal regulators are recommending to prevent derailments.

Metro officials say turning trains on the short section would be difficult for all but the most skilled operators.

The Washington Post reported that Metro officials say they have decided to extend service to Largo rather than ending the line at the Stadium-Armory station. (AP)

The Lotteries

Thursday, Dec. 6

Maryland

Mid-day Pick 3	7-2-5
Evening Pick 3 (Wed.)	9-4-4
Mid-day Pick 4	9-0-1-6
Evening Pick 4 (Wed.)	0-2-9-1
Match 5 (Wed.)	22-25-29-34-38 (5)
Multi-Match (Wed.)	3-5-13-26-28-39

District

Mid-day Lucky Numbers	2-2-8
Evening Lucky Numbers (Wed.)	8-1-2
Mid-day DC 4	4-7-7-6
Evening DC 4 (Wed.)	8-7-8-6
Mid-day D.C. Five	4-4-1-7-3
Evening D.C. Five (Wed.)	2-3-5-4-3
Hot Lotto (Wed.)	1-5-12-21-23 (2)

Virginia

Mid-day Pick 3	9-8-4
Evening Pick 3 (Wed.)	2-5-5
Mid-day Pick 4	3-2-0-9
Evening Pick 4 (Wed.)	7-9-2-7
Mid-day Cash 5	9-14-16-22-24
Evening Cash 5 (Wed.)	2-14-17-30-33
Win for Life (Wed.)	1-6-17-27-28-32 (15)

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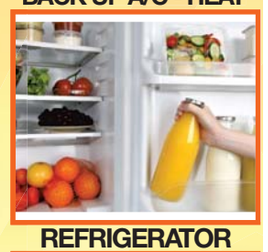

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High-Pressure Situation

Washington state legalizes pot but sets up a headache for law enforcement

Seattle

People openly lit joints under the Space Needle and on Seattle's sidewalks and blew the smoke at TV news cameras. To those looking to "get baked," the city's police department suggested pizza and a "Lord of the Rings" movie marathon.

What, exactly, is going on in Washington state?

Marijuana possession became legal under state law Thursday, the day a voter-approved measure to regulate marijuana like alcohol took effect. It prompted midnight celebrations from pot activists.

But as legalization arrives, Washington and Colorado, where a similar law passed last month, now face some dilemmas: How on earth do you go about creating a functioning legal-weed market? How do you ensure adults the freedom to use pot, while keeping it away from teenagers?

And will the Justice Department just stand by while the states issue licenses to the growers, processors and sellers of a substance that, under federal law, remains illegal?

"We're building this from the ground all the way up," said Brian Smith, spokesman for the Washington Liquor Control Board, which is charged with regulating the drug. "The initiative didn't just wave a magic wand and make everybody here an expert on marijuana."

TED S. WARREN/AP

Revelers smoke marijuana outside the Space Needle in Seattle after the clock struck 12 a.m. Thursday, when possession of up to an ounce of pot became legal in the state.

Rocky Mountain High

In Colorado, the voter-approved law legalizing the possession of up to an ounce of marijuana will take effect by Jan. 5. Pot fans will also be able to grow their own plants, unlike in Washington state. (AP)

"I feel like a kid in a candy store! It's all becoming real now!"

— **DARBY HAGEMAN,** AMONG THE MANY IN SEATTLE WHO COUNTED DOWN TO THE LEGALIZATION OF MARIJUANA AT 12 A.M. THURSDAY MORNING

Pot's Progress

Here's a look at the long, strange trip for marijuana in American history: (AP)

Cannabis Colonies
George Washington and Thomas Jefferson both grew hemp and puzzled over the best ways to process it for clothing and rope.

Exotic Allure
Books such as Alexandre Dumas' "The Count of Monte Cristo," with descriptions of hashish highs in the Orient, helped spark a fad among intellectuals in the mid-19th century.

Mixed Messages
Anti-pot propaganda proliferated in the 1930s. Congress banned marijuana in 1937. But after Japan cut off access to supplies in World War II, the Department of Agriculture released "Hemp for Victory," a film urging farmers to grow hemp for parachutes.

Counter-culture
Then came Vietnam. The open use of marijuana by hippies and war protesters undercut claims that marijuana led to violence, says expert Richard Bonnie.

The measures approved on Nov. 6 have two main facets. First, they OK the possession of up to an ounce of marijuana by adults over 21. That took effect Thursday in Washington, though it remains illegal — for now — to buy and sell pot, so people have to keep getting it from the marijuana fairy.

The regulatory schemes are trickier. Washington's Liquor Control Board has a year to adopt rules for the fledgling pot industry: Should there be limits on potency? How should the pot be inspected, packaged and labeled?

The marijuana will be taxed heavily, unless the Justice Department has something to say about it.

Few question the states' ability to remove all penalties under their own laws for marijuana. Whether a state can regulate an illegal substance is another question. Many scholars say no.

So the Justice Department could sue to block the regulatory schemes. But will it? The department has given no hints about its plans.

Still, while pot fans wait for an answer, they are partying, and the Seattle Police Department has told its 1,300 officers not to write any citations for smoking pot in public until further notice. GENE JOHNSON (AP)

'Just Say No'
First lady Nancy Reagan, below, was an anti-drug champion: On a visit with schoolchildren, as Reagan recalled, "a little girl raised her hand and said, 'Mrs. Reagan, what do you do if somebody offers you drugs?' And I said, 'Well, you just say no.' "

Medical Benefit
In 1996, California became the first state to allow the medical use of marijuana. Since then, 17 other states and the District have followed, though D.C. has not set up dispensaries yet.

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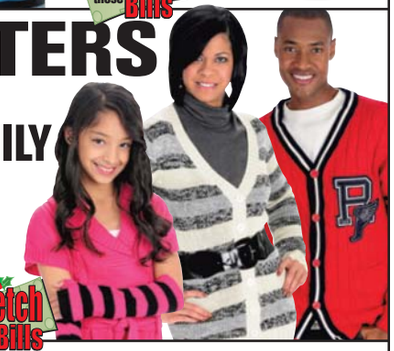

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TV Lineup

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The Navy Midshipmen play Army on Saturday in the Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl.

Friday

7:30 P.M. The Wizards go for win No. 3 against the Hawks on the road. CSN
9 P.M. In a marquee Western Conference tilt, the Lakers travel South to face the Thunder in Oklahoma. ESPN
9:30 P.M. VCU takes the short drive across town to face ODU. NBCSN

Saturday

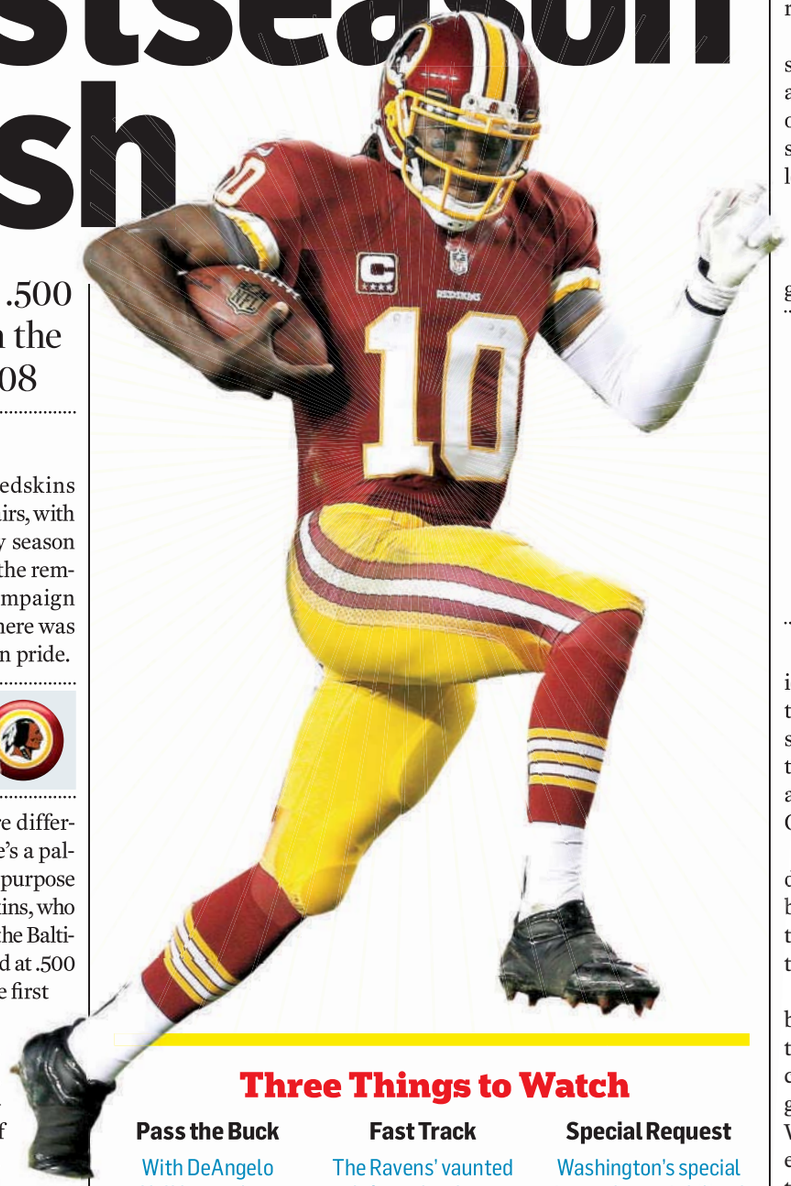
10 A.M. Chelsea heads to the Stadium of Light to take on Sunderland in the Barclays Premier League. ESPN2
NOON Coming off a big win against Texas, the Hoyas host Towson. MASN
2 P.M. The Terps look to keep rolling against S. Carolina State at home and win their eighth straight. ESPN3
3 P.M. The annual Army/Navy game takes place in Philadelphia as the Black Knights look for an upset over the bowl-bound Midshipmen. CBS
8 P.M. The 2012 Heisman Trophy will be awarded in New York City. ESPN

Sunday

4 P.M. Drew Brees and the Saints are looking to save their season on the road against the Giants, who need a win to get back on track, too. Fox
8:20 P.M. The disappointing Lions look to knock the Packers out of first place in their division, the NFC North.
11 P.M. The rugby Sevens World Series from Port Elizabeth, South Africa, semifinal and championship game are held.

Postseason Push

Redskins are at .500 at latest point in the season since 2008



Redskins

Recent Decembers at Redskins Park have been dreary affairs, with the optimism of the early season long gone, replaced with the remnants of another lost campaign and the realization that there was little to play for other than pride.

1 P.M.
Sunday | CBS

This season, things are different out in Ashburn. There's a palpable sense of energy and purpose emanating from the Redskins, who enter Sunday's game with the Baltimore Ravens at FedEx Field at .500 this late in a season for the first time since 2008.

With three wins in a row over NFC East foes, Washington also has catapulted itself into the playoff race — another rarity for a team that hasn't qualified for the postseason since 2007.

This December matters to the Redskins.

"It's great," linebacker Lorenzo Alexander said. "I've been in the league for eight years and only been to the playoffs once, so to be playing some meaningful games and having a shot to reach that goal in December is a great feeling. There's a great morale in the locker room and the community right now."

For the 6-6 Redskins, the mission is simple — they need wins, and stealing a game against a playoff-bound Baltimore team that has struggled on the road would go a long way to help the cause.

"We're still behind the eight ball, but we can kind of see around it now," cornerback DeAngelo Hall said.

> **"When a coach buys in and the whole team buys in, you can have things like we're doing."**
>
> — **REDSKINS QUARTERBACK ROBERT GRIFFIN III,** LEFT, ABOUT THE TEAM'S THREE-GAME WINNING STREAK

Washington's simplest scenario to reach the postseason is capturing the NFC East, a notion that seemed preposterous at the start of the season, but one that has become a possibility with the New York Giants struggling at 7-5.

The Redskins are 3-1 in the division and 6-4 in the conference, but that doesn't lessen the importance of Sunday's game against the AFC's Ravens.

"We can't be complacent because we don't have the opportunity to be complacent," Redskins coach Mike Shanahan said. "Every game to us is like a playoff game. We understand that and our players understand that. You're hoping that mindset is there, because if not, you're out of it very quickly."

The Redskins hope to prolong this upbeat December feeling as long as possible.

"When a coach buys in and the whole team buys in, you can have things like we're doing," quarterback Robert Griffin III said.

ELLIOTT SMITH (FOR EXPRESS)

Three Things to Watch

Pass the Buck
With DeAngelo Hall banged up and Cedric Griffin serving a four-game suspension, expect the Ravens to attack the troublesome Redskins secondary and newcomer Richard Crawford.

Fast Track
The Ravens' vaunted defense has been hampered by age and injury this season, and the Redskins should attack a physical, slower unit by using their speed, both from QB Robert Griffin III and WR Pierre Garçon.

Special Request
Washington's special teams have stabilized after a slow start, but Baltimore excels in kick returns with speedster Jacoby Jones, so the Redskins will have to prevent big swings in the return game. E.S.

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This Year's Heisman Race Is a Toss-Up

Klein, Manziel, Te'o want in on college football's select club

College Football

College football's big award night is set for Saturday, and the youngest star among the hopefuls said the spotlight may be the most difficult he's endured.

Texas A&M freshman quarterback Johnny Manziel, senior Kansas State quarterback Collin Klein and Notre Dame linebacker Manti Te'o are finalists for college football's prized Heisman Trophy, which will be presented Saturday in New York.

Manziel said the experience has been eye-opening for not only him, but the family members who accompanied him.

Texas A&M quarterback Johnny Manziel is nicknamed "Johnny Football."

"It's been surreal for them as well. They're getting overwhelmed just as much as I am," said Manziel, who turned 20 on Thursday. "The thing they're doing is they're just enjoying it. ... I'm happy for my family getting a chance to do all of this with me."

Known for his understated demeanor while at Kansas State,

Notre Dame linebacker Manti Te'o will be playing for the BCS title.

"It's been surreal for them as well. I'm happy for my family getting a chance to do all of this with me."

— **JOHNNY MANZIEL,** TEXAS A&M QB, ON WHAT BEING A HEISMAN FINALIST THIS YEAR HAS MEANT FOR HIM AND HIS FAMILY

GETTY IMAGES

Kansas State QB Collin Klein earned the nickname "Optimus Klein" this year.

Klein seemed a lock to take the Heisman before the then-No. 1 Wildcats lost to Baylor 52-24 on Nov. 17.

But the guy who's earned the nickname "Optimus Klein" lived up to it after helping his team rebound and earn a convincing win over Texas last week to secure the second Big 12 championship in Kansas State's history. The Wildcats will meet Oregon in the Fiesta Bowl.

Manziel, known as "Johnny Football," is considered by some to be the Heisman front-runner following his late-season exploits leading the Aggies to five straight victories, a 10-2 mark and Cotton Bowl berth in their first Southeastern Conference campaign.

Te'o, the Notre Dame defensive leader, has inspired his teammates on and off the field, playing on following in-season deaths of his grandmother and girlfriend. The Fighting Irish play Alabama in the BCS title game.

"If you ask people who [is] ... the Heisman Trophy winner some years, they probably don't remember them," Te'o said this week. "But they remember who won the national championship. They remember that." KYLE HIGHTOWER (AP)

Sunday Pick'Em

	Matt Swenson SPORTS CONTRIBUTOR, EXPRESS	Clinton Yates LUNCHLINE, EXPRESS	Dan Steinberg D.C. SPORTS BOG, THE WASHINGTON POST	Chris Williams BAR MANAGER, PUBLIC BAR
RAVENS (PLUS 2.5) AT REDSKINS	**REDSKINS** Mostly because I want this to happen.	**RAVENS** Bob is a great player, but there's a guy in purple named Ed. And he scares me.	**RAVENS** I don't like betting against John Harbaugh coming off a loss.	**REDSKINS** Robert the Third, Alfred the butler, Garçon the waiter ... stay classy, D.C.
SAINTS (PLUS 5) AT GIANTS	**SAINTS** Mostly because I want this to happen.	**GIANTS** I expect a big game out of Brees, but the Giants won't drop this one at home.	**GIANTS** I'm predicting the Redskins to be two games back in the NFC East by next week.	**GIANTS** Maybe the Saints should put a bounty out on a win?
BEARS (MINUS 3) AT VIKINGS	**VIKINGS** Vikings are more desperate. That's good this time of year.	**VIKINGS** Without Urlacher, it'll be tough for the Bears to stop Adrian Peterson.	**BEARS** These teams scored 24 points in 59 minutes, then 10 points in the final minute. The NFL is the new NBA.	**VIKINGS** Adrian Peterson: early favorite for landing lead role in the next "Terminator" film.
COWBOYS (PLUS 3) AT BENGALS	**BENGALS** See the first two games to see my reasoning.	**BENGALS** If this game were in Dallas, the Cowboys would be in much better shape. Alas.	**BENGALS** Dallas' strategy of falling massively behind in the first half every week is novel.	**BENGALS** One team has a diva WR, erratic QB and an undisciplined resolve. The other is Cincy.
TEXANS (PLUS 3.5) AT PATRIOTS	**TEXANS** Look it up, I picked them to reach the Super Bowl before the year.	**PATRIOTS** But come playoff time, this game will be in Houston.	**TEXANS** The Texans are 9-3 against the spread in their last 12 road games. Thank me on Tuesday.	**PATRIOTS** Bill Belichick loves two things: running up the score and hooded sweatshirts.

Season Tally: Arnie Applebaum: 41-19; Public Bar: 39-21; Matt Swenson: 36-24; Dan Steinberg: 34-26; Clinton Yates: 32-28

In Brief

PRO FOOTBALL

Steelers: Roethlisberger To Start Against Chargers

Pittsburgh Steelers quarterback Ben Roethlisberger will start on Sunday against the San Diego Chargers. Roethlisberger missed the last three weeks with a sprained right shoulder and dislocated rib but practiced for the second straight day on Thursday without incident. Roethlisberger said he felt "good" but declined to go into details. The Steelers (7-5) went 1-2 in Roethlisberger's absence. (AP)

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Alvarez in for Rose Bowl

Barry Alvarez is headed back to the Wisconsin sidelines. For one game, at least. Alvarez says he'll coach the Badgers in next month's Rose Bowl, where they'll play No. 8 Stanford. Alvarez made the announcement Thursday, a day after former coach Bret Bielema took the job at Arkansas. Alvarez coached Wisconsin for 16 seasons, compiling a 118-73-4 record that included a 3-0 mark in the Rose Bowl. (AP)

GAIL BURTON/AP

The Steelers' Ben Roethlisberger will start against the Chargers on Sunday.

PRO SOCCER

Red Bulls Trade Le Toux

The New York Red Bulls have acquired forward Josue Martinez and allocation money from the Philadelphia Union in exchange for forward Sebastien Le Toux. Red Bulls sporting director Andy Roxburgh announced the deal Thursday, saying Martinez is a young player with potential and the allocation money will provide financial flexibility for the team. (AP)

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A Rivalry Renewed on the Pitch

Embargo can't stop Hoyas-Terps matchup in College Cup semis

College Soccer

Maryland-Georgetown athletics embargo be damned, the Terrapins and Hoyas will take to the field against each other on Friday with the spotlight shining bright.

Despite Maryland athletic director Kevin Anderson's self-imposed kibosh on all Terps-Hoyas meetings until the men's basketball programs come to an agreement to play one another, the two schools' men's soccer programs completed their collision course in the NCAA Tournament and will square off in the College Cup at Regions Park in Hoover, Ala.

In an age when regional rivalries mean everything to the sport on the professional level — take D.C. United's feuds with New York and Philadelphia, for example — the fact that Maryland and Georgetown can meet only in NCAA tournaments limits the potential blossoming of a local college soccer rivalry.

JONATHAN NEWTON/TWP

Maryland coach Sasho Cirovski has the Terps seeking their fourth national title.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY

Georgetown coach Brian Wiese has led the Hoyas to their first-ever College Cup.

"It's a fairly rash, unorthodox move to tell coaches who they can and cannot play," Georgetown coach Brian Wiese said. "I know we would certainly like to be playing against [Maryland coach Sasho Cirovski] and his team on a regular basis. We're two good teams that play soccer, we don't run around, kick each other and make a meal of it. It's something that I'd like to see carry on. ... It's healthy for the area. We'd love to see it. I think Sasho would like to see it. Kevin Anderson has to decide it's important as well."

Friday's national semifinal matchup brings together two of the country's top teams, albeit two with vastly different histories. Second-seeded Maryland is seeking its third national championship since 2005 and has made the Sweet 16 of the NCAA Tournament in 11 straight seasons. Third-seeded Georgetown's 19 wins are a program best, and the Hoyas are in the College Cup for the first time in program history.

Maryland's 28-0-0 all-time series advantage plays heavily into the Terrapins' favor, but Cirovski and his high-octane squad have gradually emerged on the national scene.

"They have a lot of players that are going to play at the next level," Cirovski said of his opponent. "They've established themselves as a Top 20 team every year. That's a talented, mature, skillful group that they have. It's going to be a heck of a showcase for college soccer." AVI CREDITOR (FOR EXPRESS)

Players to Watch

Maryland (20-1-2) and Georgetown (19-3-2) meet Friday at 5 p.m., with the winner advancing to Sunday's NCAA men's soccer national championship game against either Indiana or Creighton. Maryland is eyeing its third title since 2005 and fourth all-time, while Georgetown is making its first appearance in soccer's equivalent of the Final Four. Both teams are loaded with professional prospects and U.S. youth internationals. Leading the Hoyas are sophomore goalkeeper Tomas Gomez (a member of the U.S. youth international pool), junior forward Steve Neumann (13 assists) and freshman forward Brandon Allen (15 goals). Maryland's balanced, explosive attack is paced by ACC Offensive Player of the Year and junior forward Patrick Mullins (16 goals, eight assists) and senior midfielder John Stertzer (seven goals, six assists). A.C.

Federer Aims for Rio Olympics

Tennis

Roger Federer says he won't play as often in the next few years but wants to compete in the 2016 Olympics in Rio de Janeiro.

The 31-year-old Swiss star said he intends to be more mindful about the tournaments he plays to make sure he can keep playing at a high level.

"I have to make sure that I take care of my schedule, of my body, of my mind," he said Thursday. "Hopefully, I can still stay on tour for many more years and hopefully play the Olympics here in 3½ years or so, so I have to look far ahead and not just the next six months."

ANDRE PENNER/AP

Roger Federer of Switzerland expects to compete in the Rio Games in 2016.

The winner of 17 Grand Slams is in Sao Paulo for exhibition matches involving Maria Sharapova, Victoria Azarenka, Serena Williams, Caroline Wozniacki, Jo-Wilfried Tsonga, Tommy Robredo, Tommy Haas and Thomaz Bellucci. The Bryan brothers, Bob and Mike, are also participating. Federer plays Bellucci, Brazil's top-ranked player, on Thursday.

Federer has competed in four Olympics, winning a doubles gold in 2008 and a singles silver this year. He would love to make it to the Rio Games.

"There is a lot of passion for sports here," he said. "It's a hot place to play tennis right now."

Federer, who ended the season ranked No. 2, said this year was difficult because of additional commitments that kept him from practice and his family. "I've played a lot of tennis. It's been a big challenge." TALES AZZONI (AP)

Hamilton, Greinke Still On Market After Meetings

Major League Baseball

As baseball's new Mr. Moneybags, Ned Colletti gets mentioned when almost any free agent is discussed this offseason.

"There's a perception that we're in on a couple dozen starting pitchers, three dozen outfielders and infielders, 17, 18 catchers," the Los Angeles Dodgers general manager said.

"People like to have us in. I guess it doesn't hurt to have us in, even though we're not in. We may have to hire somebody next year just to tell everybody who we're not in on," he said.

As teams headed home from the winter meetings Thursday, the biggest free agents were still on the market. The availability of slugger Josh Hamilton and pitcher Zack Greinke held up decisions on other signings and possible trades involving Rangers star Michael Young and the Mets' Cy Young Award winner R.A. Dickey.

The Yankees, quiet thus far, were pursuing former Boston star Kevin Youkilis and also met with the agent for Mark Reynolds.

Lastly, Philadelphia acquired outfielder Ben Revere from Minnesota for right-handers Vance Worley and Trevor May. (AP)

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Andria Swanson is one of three Ivy City residents who are suing the District of Columbia to stop the construction of a bus depot in their neighborhood.

Thanks, But No Thanks

Neighborhood groups are fighting back against D.C.'s development boom

Growth

New apartments and shops are spreading into neighborhoods across the Washington region, with developers looking to capitalize on a better-than-average economy and a massive influx of young adults.

Apartment hunters have wider options, more residents have grocery stores in their neighborhoods, and, with dozens of new restaurants and bars, Washington has begun to change its reputation as a gray-suit government town.

Many residents are celebrating the changes. But others aren't.

And as this new wave of development rises, a chasm between its champions and its skeptics is beginning to show.

In Northeast D.C., Ivy City residents have sued to try to prevent Mayor Vincent Gray from relocating a bus depot for

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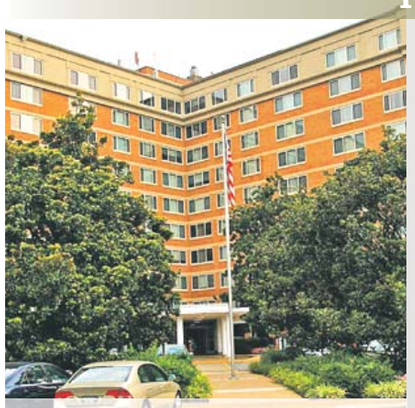

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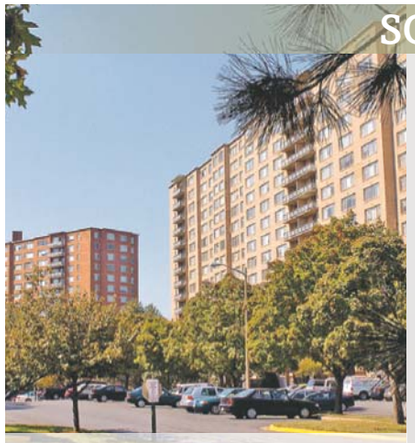

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Andria Swanson, right — with Parisa Norouzi, head of the community group Empower DC — is fighting the bus relocation in D.C. Superior Court.

Development

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dozens of private buses into their neighborhood to make way for upgrades at Union Station.

In Washington Highlands, one of the poorest parts of the District, public housing residents sued the D.C. Housing Authority out of concern that they would be permanently displaced from their homes when their units at Highland Dwellings were refurbished.

It isn't just the low income or disenfranchised who are fighting back. In Wheaton, Md., residents turned away a mixed-use proposal pushed by Montgomery County Executive Isiah Leggett.

nextweek

Are you ready for the holidays? In next week's Ready to Rent, we'll show you how to decorate, bake and host holiday parties safely in your rental.

There have always been battles between residents and the developers, planners and city officials proposing alterations to neighborhoods. But with the economy gaining steam and apartment construction booming, disputes that faded during the recession are beginning to boil again.

"I think in many ways it's the same, but now we have many more examples of how these communities are getting screwed over," said Parisa Norouzi, director of the community organizing group Empower DC.

The District already uses lots in Ivy City to park city vehicles, including school buses.

'No Trust'

Empower DC battled former Mayor Adrian Fenty's attempts to close excess schools and lease the buildings to developers, projects that Norouzi said were driven by "gentrification or private profit." She says those battles have better prepared residents and organizers for disputes such as the bus relocation, which Empower DC and residents are fighting in D.C. Superior Court. "At this point, there is really no trust in the process," she says.

A Gray spokesman declined to comment for this story.

In other instances, the opponents to zoning changes or development are the well-heeled. Neighborhoods in wealthier parts of Northwest D.C. are raising concerns about parking shortages under proposed changes to the District's zoning code.

Some Wheaton residents rejected plans to create a mixed-use downtown project because it might resemble the redevelopment of Silver Spring — a success to some but not others.

"We know how many small businesses struggled and went out of business in Silver Spring," Bob Schilke, owner of the Little Bitts Shop of cake supplies, told the Montgomery County Council in February.

Sometimes even the terms used to describe development have taken on widely different meanings. The D.C. Housing Authority won seven grants to overhaul blighted public housing projects into mixed-income neighborhoods.

The agency's renovation of Highland Dwellings, east of Bolling Air Force Base, was not a part of those projects and no market-rate units are even being built. But spokeswoman Dena Michaelson said the agency could have done a better job making that clear to avoid the lawsuit it faced (and since settled).

JONATHAN O'CONNELL (CAPITAL BUSINESS)

"Many small businesses struggled and went out of business in Silver Spring."

— **BOB SCHILKE,** WHO OWNS A SHOP IN WHEATON, MD., WHERE A PROPOSED PLAN FOR DEVELOPMENT DREW FIRE FOR RESEMBLING THE REDEVELOPMENT OF SILVER SPRING

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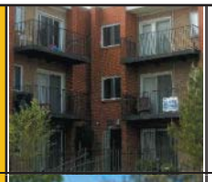
DC		**5210-5212 E Street** 5210-5212 E St., SE Washington, DC 20019	Gorgeous 2BR apartments from $1200 + electric and water, newly renovated, hardwood floors, balconies, granite countertops, marble tile.	2 BRs Starting at $1200 Call Gene Wason **301-589-6000 x409**		X	X		X					X		
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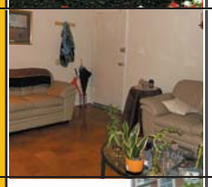
DC		**Greenwood Manor Apartments** 2343 Green Street SE Washington DC 20020	Discover the thrill, excitement and glee of living in Greenwood Manor. Call Today!!!	1,2,3BRs Starting at $775 **202-678-2548** www.delwin-realty.com		X	X	X								
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DC		**Friendship Crossing Apartments** 57 Galveston Street SW Washington, DC 20032	ASK ABOUT OUR RENT SPECIAL! FREE HEAT, GAS WATER Have it all at Friendship Crossing ... convenience comfort and value! A gatd community just minutes to shopping, dining, 495, 295 & metro.Fully renovated apartment homes in a park like atmosphere.New and upgraded appliances, laundry facilities in each bldg.	1 & 2 BRs Starting at $775 **202-563-6800**		X	X		X	X	X			X		
MD		**Gateway Gardens** 4203 58th Avenue Bladensburg, MD 20710	Located in suburban Maryland. Gateway Gardens offers comfort and convenience minutes away from shopping, restaurants, entertainment, Metro bus and Metro rail. A modern apartment that is cable-ready, not to mention a balcony or patio.	1,2,3BR's Starting at $980 **888-448-9013** gatewaygardens.net		X	X	X		X	X				X	
MD		**The Coronado** 5200- 5201 Quincy Street Baldensburg, MD 20710	1BRS- 2BRS ranging from $850-$950 + electric. Very spacious beautiful 1BRs, fully carpeted, eat in kitchen, balcony, large bathroom, secured entry.	1BRs Starting at $850 **202-544-9550**		X			X	X			X		
MD		**Penn Southern** 4113 Southern Avenue Capitol Hts, MD 20743	All credit considered. FIOS ready. Upgraded eat-in kitchens. Paint options available in select apartments. Individually controlled air conditioning & heat. Close to Metro. ■ Minutes from Washington DC & Capitol Hill ■ Pool, sundeck, playground ■ Business Center	Studio, 1,2,3BR Starting at $830 **866-810-0275** pennsouthern.com	X	X	X		X			X			
MD		**Woodland Springs** 6617 Atwood Street District Heights, MD 20747	Holiday Special-Move in by Dec. 21st receive half off Security Deposit!! Free Application Fee w/Ad!! Woodland Springs is the perfect community for you and your family to live the life you want. If you are looking for a high quality, family and senior friendly community then Woodland Springs is the place for you!	1-4BR's Starting at $830 **301-277-6610610** woodlandsprings@shelter-grp.com		X	X	X	X	X	X					

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MD		**Rochelle Hall Apartments** 1996 Rochelle Avenue District Heights, MD 20747	Discover the thrill, excitement and glee of living in Rochelle Hall Apartments 1st Months Rent Free*1/2 off Security Deposit* Immediate Occupancy Free Utilities Section 8 Welcome Call for Details* Qualified applicants only* Limited Time Only	1,2,3 Bedrooms Starting at $899 **301-967-0082**		X	X	X		X	X				X	
MD		**Parkland Village** 6004 Parkland Court District Hts, MD 20747	Parkland Village is dedicated to providing a comfortable and affordable home. We are convenient to the Capital Beltway, schools, shopping and just minutes from the heart of the nation's capital. Our newly renovated community will give you the chance to enjoy quality living, because we are committed to providing you the service and comfort you deserve.	1 & 2 bedrooms Starting at $1102.00 **1-866-310-7466** www.herculesliving.com			X				X					
MD		**Penn Landing Apartment Homes** 6311 Pennsylvania Ave. Forestville, MD 20747	Welcome to Penn Landing Apartments, where exceptional customer service and comfort meet. Come see for yourself! Large apartments, affordable rents, and an unbeatable location all add up to complete convenience and relaxation. We look forward to welcoming you home.	1, 2, 3 BRs, 2BR Duplexes 240-289-2955 pennlandingapts.com		X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
MD		**Corrigan Square** 8511 Snouffer School Rd. Gaithersburg, MD 20878	ASK ABOUT $0 SECURITY DEPOSIT • Eat in kitchens • Balconies & tot lots • Near shopping and restaurants • Minutes from Shady Grove Metro & I-270,convenient to the ICC • *income restrictions apply	2 BRs Starting at $1065* **(888) 861-7004** www.gradymgt.com			X			X	X	X				X
MD		**Carriage Hill Apartments** 3416 Curtis Drive #T3 Hillcrest Heights, MD 20746	Mid-Rise and Garden Style Apartments ▪ All credit considered. ▪ All utilities included ▪ Immediate move ins available.	1BR - 3BR's Starting at $985-$1465 **888-341-7613** carriageapts.net		X	X	X								
MD		**Marlborough House** 3001 Branch Ave. Hillcrest Heights, MD 20748	NOW OPEN 7 DAYS! Welcome home to Marlborough House where we offer superior service and a long list of amenities, including all utilities, a fitness center, a swimming pool, and a tele-entry system. Experience the Southern Difference. (Cats allowed with pet rent.)	Studio, 1, 2 BRs Starting at $940 **(888) 347-6956**	X	X	X		X			X	X	X	X	
MD		**Cypress Creek** 8603 Cypress Creek Dr. Hyattsville, MD 20782	Cypress Creek is the perfect urban retreat! Convenient to University of MD, Howard University & 4 Metro lines to the City. Spacious floor plans, fully equipped contemporary kitchen. Olympic size pool w/sundeck,fitness center. Beautiful wooded setting adjacent to Michigan Park . Save! up to 2 Months FREE RENT	1BRs fr $850's 2 BRs fr $1080's **(877) 675-0044** CypressCreekApts.com		X	X	X		X			X	X		X
MD		**Quincy Manor/Monroe Gardens** 3603 55th Avenue Hyattsville, MD 20784	Quincy-Monroe is conveniently located just 5 minutes from the Orange Line Cheverly Metro, with Metrobus to pick you up right at the community. Shopping, schools and the hospital are all within minutes of these delightful economical apartments.	1,2,3BRS Starting at $685 **301-277-6610** sgrier@emmetinc.com		X	X	X	X	X	X					
MD		**Kings Square Apartments** 3402 Dodge Park Road Landover, MD 20785	• FREE UTILITIES • Laundry facilities • Cable ready • Day care on premises • Superb elementary school in walking distance • Walk to Metro • Just minutes to Wegmans FREE 6 WEEK SUMMER CAMP (call for details)	1, 2, 3 BRs Starting at $870 **877-219-5017** kingssquareapartments.com		X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
MD		**Maple Ridge** 2252 Brightseat Road Landover, MD 20785	• Remodeled apartments w/ brand new kitchens • Spacious balconies or patios • Individually controlled A/C & heat • Licensed Daycare on Premises • Free Fitness Center on Property Excellent location, right by the new Wegmans! FREE 6 WEEK SUMMER CAMP (call for details)	1, 2, 3 BRs Starting at $870 **877-219-5026** www.mapleridgeapartments.com		X	X	X	X			X	X			

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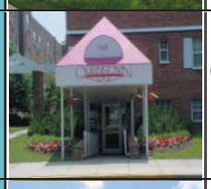
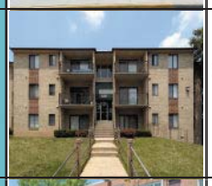
MD		Kent Village 6707 Hawthorne St. Landover, MD 20785	Located within minutes of downtown DC and the 495 Beltway. Only one block from the Landover Road Metro. Metro bus stop on the community. Newly renovated 1and 2 bedroom apartments and 2 bedroom townhomes. Comfort and convenience at an affordable price.	1,2BR's, 2BR TH's Starting at $932 866-799-4621 kentvillage.com		X	X		X	X	X	X				X
MD		**Montpelier Crossing** 9689 Muirkirk Road Laurel, MD 20708	Just minutes from downtown Laurel. Spacious garden-style apartments and town homes. -generously sized living rooms -separate dining rooms -bedrooms with large closets and bathrooms -kitchens come with white cabinets and white appliances, frost-free refrigerators, and gas cooking.	1, 2, 3 BR THs Starting at $890 **240-547-2113** montpeliercrossing.com		X	X	X	X		X	X		X		
MD		**Queenstown Apartments** 3301 Chillum Road Mt. Rainier, MD 20712	Welcome to a small taste of good living 1 block from West Hyattsville Metro! Newly renovated apartment homes (limited supply). Come find peace of mind at Queenstown Apartments! Offering 1 & 2 BR apartments, FREE After School Program, on-site security, fitness/business center,5% gov't and senior citizen discount. Ask about our student discount! Hablamos Espanol.	1, 2 BRs **888-759-9112** queenstownapts.com		X	X		X	X	X	X	X			
MD		**Sutton Walk-Lenox Court Cambridge Crossing** 5306 85th Ave. New Carrollton, MD 20784	SAVE UP TO $500* Comfortable, spacious apartment homes just inside the Beltway a beautiful tree-lined neighborhood. • Walk to Metro • Washer & Dryer in each apartment • Huge Closets * Call for details	1 BRS Starting at $1004 **877-363-7231** SuttonWalk.com		X				X	X					X
MD		**Oxon Hill Village** 2260 Alice Avenue Oxon Hill, MD 20745	Nestled between the District of Columbia and historic Virginia, Oxon Hill Village offers a variety of floorplans, free services and amenities including a fitness center. indoor gymnasium, business center and all utilities included.	1BR- 3BR's Starting at $1050 **888-512-6025**		X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	
MD		**Colonial Village** 908 Marcy Avenue Oxon Hill, MD 20745	• UTILITIES INCLUDED! • Located minutes from Metro, the Beltway, downtown D.C. and Virginia. • A lovely garden community one minute from the renovated Eastover shopping center. • Walk to elementary school and 5 minutes to Metro. • Minutes to the National Harbor • Large balconies/patios	1,2,3 BRs Starting at $830 **877-219-5035**		X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
MD		**Southview** 1309 Southview Dr. Oxon Hill, MD 20745	Open the door to the good life at Southview. With these spacious, affordable and conveniently located apartment homes, the good life is waiting for you inside and out. An easy commute takes you downtown by car or Metro, while back home, recreation areas and our two pools keep everyone active. Don't deny yourself the lifestyle you know you deserve. Visit Southview and get ready to live it!	Studio,1, 2, 3BR's Starting at $753 **888-414-6645** southviewapts.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X		
MD		**Parkview Gardens** 6400 Riverdale Road Riverdale, MD 20737	■ Gated community with updated apartments ■ Granite countertops, new appliances and cabinets. ■ Indoor and outdoor pools! ■ An unbeatable location close to shopping, public transportation, BW Parkway and 495. ■ FREE 6 WEEK SUMMER CAMP ■ FREE GAS COOKING & HEAT	1,2,3 BRs start at $920 **877-219-5030** parkviewgardensapartments.com		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		
MD		**Waterford Tower** 14000 Castle Blvd. Silver Spring, MD 20904	Utilities Included! Experience Hi-rise living at its Best! Newly renovated apartment homes are not only stylish and comfortable...they are also enormous & offer stunning views. Call or stop by today and see for yourself! Up to 1.5 Months FREE!	1 BRs from the $1350s 2 BRs from the $1595 **888-544-7357** WaterfordTowerApts.com	X	X	X	X			X	X		X	X	
MD		**Windsor Court and Tower** 13802 Castle Blvd. Silver Spring, MD 20904	We fit your lifestyle! Choose from our garden or mid-rise apartment homes. Spacious floorplans. Individually controlled heat & A/C. On-site daycare, play areas, swimming and wading pools. Business Center. Cats and small dogs allowed! CALL TODAY, MOVE TOMORROW!!!	1,2,3 BRs starting at $928 **888-255-6159**		X	X	X	X		X	X		X		

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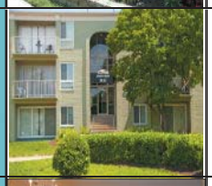
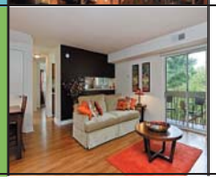
MD		**Forest Park** 9316 Piney Branch Rd Silver Spring MD 20903	SPECIALS ON 1 & 2 BEDRM APARTMENTS Bring this ad in for a WAIVED APPLICATION FEE! Beautifully wooded landscaped setting. Mid-rise elevator bldg. Wall to wall carpet, Spacious bedrooms. Pools, playgrounds, basketball court. Montgomery County Schools@! Nr. I-495, I-95 & New Hampshire Ave. with Metro close-by.	1,2,3 BR apts Starting at $985 **301-434-8727**		X	X	X	X	X	X			X		
MD		**Hillbrook Towers** 515 Thayer Avenue Silver Spring, MD 20910	PAY $599 YOUR FIRST MONTH WITH A 12 MONTH LEASE! Newly renovated mid-rise apts on a lovely residential street close to the center of Silver Spring. Elevator, CAC, disposals, assigned free parking. Walk to Metro. Housing Vouchers Welcome	1 and 2 BRs Starting at $1025 **888-833-9784**		X		X	X	X	X			X	X	
MD		**Woodvale Apartments** 13831 Castle Blvd. Silver Spring, MD 20904	CURRENT SPECIAL... 1 Month FREE Rent	1-3 BRs; some w/den from $1109 **888-813-6507** Refreshurlifestyle.com		X	X	X		X	X	X	X			X
MD		**Montgomery Trace Apts.** 14120 Grand Pre Road Silver Spring, MD 20906	Live in Style & Convenience! Our property features large layouts, washer/dryer in unit, 2 tone paint, new carpet and many upgrades throughout. Located near Glenmont Metro and a short drive to DC, Bethesda, and Silver Spring. Home is waiting for you and also your pet.	1 BRs Starting at $1104 **301-460-4510** montgomerytraceapartments.com		X	X			X	X	X				X
MD		**Silver Hill Apartments** 4277 Silver Hill Road Suitland, MD 20746	MOVE-IN SPECIAL Sign a 12 month lease and your 1st month's Rent is only $599 Our oversized living spaces feature hardwood floors and mini blinds. We are conveniently located near the finest in shopping, dining and entertainment. ● Housing Vouchers Welcome ● Holding fee required with application	1 BRs fr. $800 2 BRs fr. $900 (carpet extra) **888-513-2042**		X	X		X	X	X				X	
MD		**Andrews Ridge** 5601 Regency Park Court Suitland, MD 20746	FREE Rent on Some Units...Call Today! Renovated kitchens and baths, a new fitness and business center, a fresh look for the outside of the bldgs, and more... With upgrades this exciting, you won't want to miss out! Call today to get your special!	**1-BRs fr. $1075. 2-BRs fr. $1190. 3-BRs fr. $1430** **888-502-7944** rejuvenateurlifestyle.com			X			X	X		X	X		X
MD		**Shadyside Gardens** 2641 Shadyside Ave. Suitland, MD 20746	The Best Value in Suitland. Our renovated apartment homes offer you amenities such as a washer/dryer in every apartment home, oversized closets, playground & a prime location. We are only 2 blocks from Suitland Metro and bus service is right at your door!	2BR Special $939!!! 1,2,3 Bedrooms Starting at $985 Second Chance Approval **1-877-237-4868** SGA@Finesagroup.com		X	X	X		X	X	X				X
MD		**Belford Towers** 6733 New Hampshire Ave Takoma Park, MD 20912	Belford Towers has the amenities you want, the price you can afford, and the convenience of a prime location! Security on-site * Large walk-in closets * Balconies * Playground * Spacious floor plans * Laundry facility * AC & Heat included in rent!	1,2,3 BR's Starting at $1020 **888-420-4302** Beaconmanagement.com		X	X	X	X	X	X			X		
MD		**Marlow Plaza Apartments** 2900 Saint Claire Drive Temple Hills, MD 20748	At Marlow Plaza & Tower, we feature both high-rise and garden style apartments. Our homes feature wall to wall carpeting, oak wood cabinets and dishwashers. We are located just minutes from the Beltway, Suitland Parkway and 3 Metro lines. Stop by today for a tour of your new apartment home!	1,2,3 BR's Starting at $849 Second Chance Approval!! **1-888-803-3184**		X	X	X	X	X	X					
VA		**Foxchase Apartments** 320 North Jordan Street Alexandria, VA 22304	Receive a $1,000 Gift Card* Foxchase is the ideal home, whether you are looking for off-base or off-campus housing. Our colonial-style homes are air conditioned & offer wood flooring. *on select apts, move-in by Dec 8th.	1, 2 BRs Starting at $1,075 **703-253-4340** FoxchaseofAlexandriaApts.com		X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X

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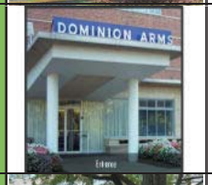
VA		**Glebe House** 25 West Glebe Road Alexandria, VA 22305	• Furnished & Unfurnished • FREE Cable and HBO • FREE 90-Day membership to YMCA • FREE WIFI in the business center • Prime location minutes to Washington DC, Pentagon, Crystal City, Old Town, Reagan National Airport, Beltway and 395	Studio, 1 BRs Starting at $1004 **240-455-3567** glebehouse.net	X	X			X		X				X	
VA		**Fillmore Garden Apartments** 805 S. Walter Reed Drive Arlington, VA 22204	An affordable community nestled among tranquil trees and in the heart of Arlington. * Close to cutting edge restaurants, lively clubs and quick access anywhere in DC * Spacious units with lots of light * Free utilities	1, 2 BRs Starting at $1200 **240-455-5092** fillmoregardenapts.com		X	X		X		X					
VA		**Lloyd Apartments** 800 Tennessee Avenue Alexandria, VA 22305	Lloyd Apartments offer expansive floor plans from 650 to 870 square feet with utilities included. Abundant light from windows in every room, including the kitchen and bathroom. Elegant foyers and hallways boast hardwood floors. The bathroom is equipped with a soaking tub and shower with tile flooring. We provide the convenience of on-site laundry facilities, extra storage units, and free parking.	1, 2 BRs Starting at $1200 **240-455-5467** lloydapartments.com		X	X		X		X					
VA		**Kings Gardens Apartments** 6300 S.Kings Hwy Alexandria, VA 22306	Kings Gardens delightfully combines city convenience with suburban charm. This Alexandria address is within a short distance from schools, shopping, and the Huntington Metro Rail Station. Residents enjoy beautiful landscaping and an on-site pool.	1BR-3BR's + Dens Starting at $ 1165 **866-980-9358** kgleasing@smcmail.com		X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
VA		**The Parliaments** 7409 Eastmoreland Rd. Annandale, VA 22003	• All Utilities included • Central Air & Heat • Huge Walk-in Closets • Pets Welcome • Very Spacious Apartments	Studios,1, 2, 3BRs Starting at $1195 **866-796-5301** parliaments@smcmail.com		X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	
VA		**Crystal Plaza** 2111 Jefferson Davis Hwy Arlington, VA 22202	Imagine having direct access to the Crystal City Underground and Metro. Crystal Plaza features: -Generously sized interiors with wall to wall glass living areas and panoramic views -Modern eat-kitchens, separate dining areas and ceramic tile bathrooms. Located in Crystal City minutes from downtown DC, the Pentagon and Old Town Alexandria.	Studio, 1, 2, 3 BRs Starting at $1710 **240-348-1790** crystalplazaapartments.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
VA		**Southern Towers** 4901 Seminary Road Alexandria, VA 22301	• Close to Pentagon & I-395 • Convenience store on-site • Free on-site parking • Metrobus accessible • Small pets welcome • No security deposit & move-in fees	Efficiency, 1, 2, 3 BRs Starting at $950 **703-485-4154** southerntowersapts.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
VA		**Dominion Plaza** 1200 S Courthouse Rd Arlington, VA 22204	Featuring reasonably priced, newly remodeled apartments overlooking scenic Army/Navy Country Club ● Parquet hardwood floor or wall-to-wall as avail ● Fitness center, pool & sundeck ● Picnic and barbecue areas on grounds ● Business Center ● utilities included	Studio, 1BR, 2BR starting at $1105 **703-436-1516** dominionplazaapts.com	X	X	X		X	X	X		X		X	
VA		**Dominion Arms** 333 South Glebe Rd. Arlington, VA 22204	● Utilities Included ● Beauty shop, barber shop & drycleaners ● Close to Route 50 ● Laundry rooms on each floor ● Metro Bus to Ballston & Pentagon Metro ● Outdoor swimming pool ● Small pets welcome	Studio, 1BR, 2BR starting at $1120 **703-822-5558** dominionarmsapts.com	X	X	X		X	X	X	X			X	
VA		**Shirlington House** 4201 S. 31st Street Arlington, VA 22206	• Spacious floor plans • Garage parking available • 24 hour Fitness Center • Convenience store on-site • Convenient public transportation to Metro, Pentagon City & Crystal City • Easy access to I-395	Studio, Efficiency, 1, 2 BRs Starting at $1230 **703-595-4233** shirlingtonhouseapts.com	X	X	X		X		X	X	X		x	

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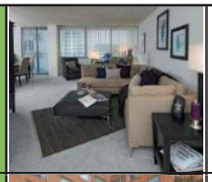
VA		**The Buchanan** 320 23rd Street South Arlington, VA 22202	The Buchanan is located in the heart of Crystal City just minutes from downtown DC, the Pentagon and Old Town Alexandria. Imagine living at this perfect location where you have convenient access to the Crystal City Metro as well as steps away from a variety of shops, and award winning restaurants.	Studios, 1, 2 & 3 Bedrooms Starting at $1,620 **240-348-1803** www.buchananapts.com	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
VA		**Potomac Towers** 2001 North Adams Street Arlington, VA 22201	• Newly remodeled apartments • Newly remodeled lobby w/Business Center • Fitness Center, Pool & Sundeck • 24-Hour Front Desk Service • 3 Blocks to Court House Metro • Easy access to Key Bridge, Rt. 66 & GW Parkway	Studio, 1, 2 BRs Starting at $1415 **703-485-4903** potomactowers.com	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
VA		**Monticello Gardens** 3212 Allen Street #101 Falls Church, VA 22042	• 2 swimming pools & 5 playgrounds • 24 hour maintenance • Adjacent to Loehmann's Plaza, Shopping, New Super Giant and New Library • Conv to Metro & minutes fr Dunn Loring Metro Sta • No security deposit & move-in fees SHORT TERM LEASE AVAIL. on 2 BR ONLY	1, 2 BRs Starting at $1285 **703-436-1510** monticellogardenapts.com		X	X		X		X	X			x	
VA		**The Courts at Historic Manassas** 9203 Prince William St. Manassas, VA 20110	Welcome to the Courts at Historic Manassas! Just steps from the VRE and downtown Historic Manassas, our beautiful new residences are just what you've been looking for. FREE 1.5 months rent!!!	1-2BR's Starting at $1430 1 and 1/2 months rent free! **703-365-9657** Leasing@thecourtsapts.com		X	X									

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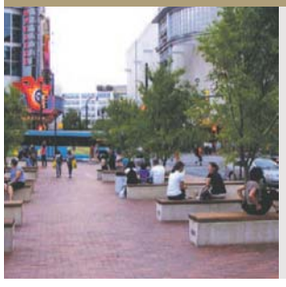

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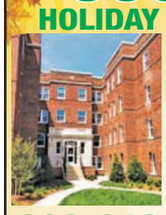

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STYLELINER

Joey Wolffer

FOUNDER OF THE STYLELINER IGLOO SHOP

If Joey Wolffer looks a little familiar, it might be because the glam New Yorker made a pit stop in D.C. back in May on the Styleliner — her 20-foot potato-chip truck turned accessories shop on wheels. Much like the truck, her new holiday store (housed in an igloo-like structure that was originally the starting gate for the downhill skiing event at the Salt Lake City Olympics) is full of spoils from her worldly travels. (Think Pendleton wool pouches and petrified coral necklaces.) It's anchored to the Dupont Circle Hotel and open from 11:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. daily through Dec. 24 (1500 New Hampshire Ave. NW).

So, how does it feel to have a dream job?
[Laughs] There are a lot of things that come with it that aren't so glamorous. But you know what I love about it? Every new city is an opportunity for my husband and I to have a vacation. I love really getting to know the culture of every place we visit. It's everywhere, from the art to the buildings. And the markets. I go crazy when I see a market.

In what ways is the igloo different from the truck?
The igloo has lower price points. We wanted people to be able to buy a lot of things rather than just one big thing, so you'll find bracelets for about $25 to $30. It's also bigger and more homey than the truck. We'll have hot cocoa every day. We wanted to create a place where people felt comfortable staying and chatting.

What items are you loving most?
Right now in the igloo we're doing a lot of Peruvian and Aztec prints, and lots of neon. And I really love the Buba Bracelets we have, which are embellished leather cuffs with gems and silk threads. Every item has a story to tell, and that's why we're selling it and that's what the customer likes.

> **"Every item has a story to tell, and that's why we're selling it and that's what the customer likes."**

You're the former trend director for Jones Group. What's your trend forecast for this season?
I think people are so much about color right now. Also anything that's natural with an edge, like leathers with some sparkle on them. The boho glam look is kind of our thing.

Have you always had an entrepreneurial spirit?
My father was an entrepreneur and my grandfather was an entrepreneur. I'm not the type of person who can sit behind a desk all day and not show my personality. So I think that has really led me to be an entrepreneur, this craving to be around people and meeting new people every day.

You're based in New York but chose D.C. as your igloo headquarters.
We love D.C., and we're building a name for ourselves here. We like our clients and the energy of the city. No one here is jaded. I think there's a great enthusiasm around the igloo because I don't think there's much like it in D.C.

HOLLEY SIMMONS (EXPRESS)

Event Horizon | Out of Africa, Into Their Stockings

Score good-for-giving tribal-print tea towels, sparkly fabric clutches and bead and bone earrings at Amani Ya Juu's holiday open house. The African fair-trade shop in Mt. Pleasant features discounts and refreshments 4-8 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday. 3166 Mt. Pleasant St. NW; 202-536-5303; Amanidc.org.

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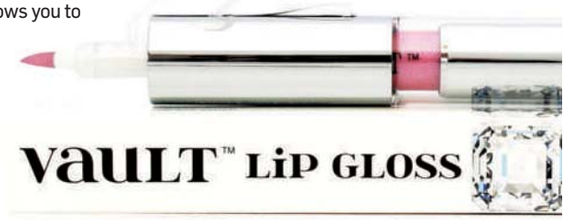
Grab Bag

1 Yarns and Yarmulke

CHRISTMAS IS just one day of the year, but Hanukkah lasts for eight days and nights. Which makes the excess of ugly Christmas sweaters — celebrated by parties, happy hours and way too many Instagram posts — seem downright unfair. Geltfiend's new line of Judaica-themed knitwear evens the tacky holiday-wear field with such garments as dreidel cardigans (shown, $65, Geltfiend.com), a "Crown Heights" pullover with yarmulke-wearing snowmen ($60) and, our favorite, the "Geltdigger" ($60), a bowed style covered with gold-coin symbols.

2 Easy Glider

THINGS YOU CAN DO WITH one hand: hail a cab, tell a bad driver what you really think of his motor skills, and, now, thanks to Vault cosmetics, apply lip gloss ($16, Vaulticon.com). The tube's Bond Girl-like design allows you to open, pump and close the pucker-prettier with just one paw. The jojoba oil and vitamin E loaded formula adds up to a supple kisser. And a roster of 16 hues — including the very-pink Rehab and daring, icy-blue Newport — means the gloss is even more of a multitasker.



3 Clothes Call

A NEW LIMITED-EDITION collection of iPhone, Samsung and BlackBerry cases dubbed the "Rewind Collection" is inspired by bygone looks from iconic designers ($35, Inspiremycase.com). Favorites include an art-deco print borrowed from a glitzy '20s dress by Chanel (shown, below left) and a Mondrian-esque version of Yves Saint Laurent's 1965 color-block dress (shown, below right). Twenty percent of all proceeds go to a charity that provides art supplies to children in need, so buying one will make you look fashionable and feel good.

4 Mellower Mallows

"NO, OLIVE, Daddy will not pour his special brown juice into your cocoa. Bad girl!" Wondermade's new Bourbon Marshmallows ($7.50 for 16, Wondermade.com) aren't for the kiddies either, but they'll dose holiday-frazzled parents with a sweet, slightly oaky flavor. The company also adds Guinness to its puffs; flavors such as Honey Pear, Pumpkin Pie and Peppermint could sub in for those hard white nuggets in Swiss Miss. The treats could also deliciously star in fireplace s'mores.

5 Just Her Type

ARLINGTON GRAPHIC designer Tina Tabibi draws inspiration from travel, 1980s movies and even her Boston terrier. Her letter-pressed, perky sets of packaged notes ($17 for 6, Etsy.com/shop/TabibiDesign) bear messages both yule-ish ("Hugs, Kisses and Holiday Wishes!" with a champagne glass "star") and evergreen ("I Love You More Than Cake" in peppy, poppy fonts).

Grab Bag is gathered and reviewed by Jennifer Barger and Holley Simmons. Find more food, fashion, beauty and home goods at expressnightout.com/grabbag.

Dear Manolo

ANSWERS FROM THE SHOE BLOGGER

I survived Thanksgiving, Black Friday and Cyber Monday. Now I'm faced with the ultimate holiday test: My husband's office Christmas party. Not only will my husband's boss be there, but the boss's boss, and the boss's boss's boss, up to the CEO. I've got my little black dress; now I need pretty shoes for under $200. —JENNIFER

Manolo says ayyyyy! The moment of great danger approaches, when the innocent young peoples who have ventured forth — Hansel and Gretel style — into the deep thicket of The Corporate Woods encounter the gingerbread house at the center.

Yes, at the first glance, the holiday office party would appear to be a festive sort of thing, with the decorations, the twinkling lights and the row of smiling bosses with their skinny-toned, Harvard MBA trophy wives.

But do not be deceived, young person! There are traps, monsters and witches waiting, eager to pull you from the career ladder and devour your chances at getting your own reserved parking space in the office garage.

Keep in mind these sensible rules of proper behavior: Do not talk about the election just past; do not have that third glass of champagne; and do not, under any circumstances, dance with the boss, the boss's boss or the boss's boss's boss to the "slow jam."

Look! Here is the Vivian from the Badgley Mischka ($195, Zappos.com), the sandal that seems festive.

Ask the Manolo a question at manolo@shoeblogs.com. Visit the Manolo at shoeblogs.com.

lookout styles

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First Lace

Headband and Byron Lars Beauty Mark lace dress ($72 and $635, Proper Topper, 1350 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-842-3055); belt by Elise M., gold clutch and Michael Antonio Studio stilettos ($70, $42 and $130, South Moon Under, 12700 Clarendon Blvd., Arlington; 703-807-4083); necklace ($27, Violet, 2439 18th St. NW; 202-621-9225); and gold earrings and bangle ($145 and $242, Bishop Boutique, 815-B King St., Alexandria; 571-312-0042).

Blazing Trails

Sequin Alice+Olivia jacket, velvet Aqua tank and Adriano Goldschmied pants ($898, $88 and $225, Bloomingdale's, 5300 Western Ave., Md.; 240-744-3700); Gerard Yosca necklace ($352, Proper Topper); gold earrings ($32, Urban Chic, 1626 Wisconsin Ave. NW; 202-338-5398); sapphire ring ($155, Bishop Boutique); and Bettye Muller heels ($335, Simplysoles.com).

Golden Girl

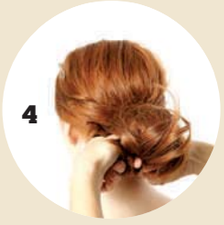
Aryn K. jacket ($132, South Moon Under); gold shirt and Seven for All Mankind pants ($340 and $298, Bloomingdale's); Lenora Dame necklace ($168, Simplysoles.com); earrings ($74, Proper Topper); ring ($8, Violet); and Rebecca Minkoff heels ($325, Shoe Hive, 127 S. Fairfax St., Alexandria; 703-548-7105).

Hair How-To's

Lauren Clark of Immortal Beloved (1457 Church St. NW; 202-299-1050) shares her tress talents with these two looks you can re-create at home.

1. Spray hair with a texturizing product such as Oribe's Dry Texturizing Spray ($39 for 8.5 ounces). Add a headband if desired.

2. Gather two front side sections and secure them with bobby pins in the back.



3. Gather the remaining hair at the nape of the neck and twirl it to create one big ringlet.

4. Beginning at the end, roll hair into itself until you have a large loop at the base of the neck.

5. Evenly disperse the loop, pinning as you work.

6. Spray with hairspray and loosen the strands around your face to give it a little texture.

GILTY

Excess to impress in festive frocks, sparkly skirts and rich accessories inspired by the Baroque era

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Back Track

Backless black and blue lace-print dress by Tibi ($495, Urban Chic); blue spike dangle earrings ($88, South Moon Under); and Deco bangle and Elaine Turner black wedges ($150 and $325, Bishop Boutique).

Shine On

Green short-sleeve shirt with Peter Pan collar ($256, Bloomingdale's); silver mini skirt by Tinley Road ($59, Piperlime .com); gun-metal glass earrings, metal chain cuff bracelet, silver ring and large embellished peach satchel ($88, $43, $60 and $80, South Moon Under); and Princess Punk bracelet in silver and pewter shoes by L.K. Bennett ($60 and $395, Bishop Boutique).

Crown Jewel

Gold Lillie skirt by Darling and gold and pearl flower necklace ($105 and $375, Proper Topper); gold skinny tank by Michael Stars ($39, South Moon Under); skull and crown button-down shirt by Rehab and black and gold linear drop earrings ($50 and $14, Violet); black and gold cuff bracelet and gold zigzag bangle ($36 and $29, Bishop Boutique); black lace heels ($298, Somethingbleushoes .com); and hair clips ($20 each, Proper Topper).

1. Comb hair to remove knots and tangles. Spray with texturizing spray.

2. Beginning at the roots, tease hair in front as if you were doing a bouffant.

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3. Gather two front side sections and cross them in an "X" at the back.

4. Hold the "X" in place with your right thumb and grab a section of hair from the front-left using your left hand.

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5. Cross it over the "X" to meet the hair in your right hand.

6. Repeat the process on the right-hand side and alternate until you have a complete fishtail braid. Secure with an elastic.

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7. Beginning at the end, roll the braid under until it meets the nape of the neck. Secure with pins.

8. Spray with hairspray and loosen the strands that frame your face to give it a little texture.

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From left: Jessica Biel, Noah Lomax and Gerard Butler are not the happy family they appear to be in the dreary "Playing for Keeps."

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Anything but a Keeper

Gerard Butler's new would-be rom-com 'Playing for Keeps' doesn't earn its title

Film Review

A dreary, dismally unfunny excuse for a romantic comedy, "Playing for Keeps" is an undistinguished, impact-free watch-checker that will soon be vaguely distracting transatlantic travelers who forgot to carry on their iPads.

As featureless and bland as the suburban Louisiana locations standing in for Northern Virginia, this is a movie that adamantly refuses to live up to its title, aiming instead to lure in a few unsuspecting fans of stars Gerard Butler and Jessica Biel, do its damage and — with any luck — disappear quickly from theaters with virtually no one knowing that it ever existed.

As a former soccer star roped into coaching his son's amateur team, Butler turns on his native Scottish brogue and unshaven "charm" in fending off the advances of the various soccer moms who throw themselves at him with libidinous abandon. The accomplished actresses who can be seen degrading themselves in this thankless pursuit include Catherine Zeta-Jones, Uma Thurman and Judy Greer, whose turn-on-a-dime performance in "The Descendants" is reduced here to a burlesque shtick.

Biel, as the ex-wife for whom Butler's character holds a blazing torch, is treated with similarly shallow disdain in a film that primarily asks her to look worried, angry, hurt and reluctantly charmed over and over.

This clunky, by-the-numbers placeholder reminds us all what dreck Hollywood is capable of pawning off on unsuspecting audiences.

Playing for Keeps
(PG-13)

- **Director:** Gabriele Muccino
- **Stars:** Gerard Butler, Jessica Biel, Uma Thurman and Judy Greer
- **In a Nutshell:** A former sports star who's fallen on hard times is coaxed into coaching his son's soccer team.

Filmed with crepuscular, underlit dimness and sloppy inattention to pesky details like continuity (look for the disappearing baguette, or Thurman suddenly disappearing from a park bleacher), "Playing for Keeps" is all the more shocking for its arrival during a season of such first-rate mainstream entertainment, from "Lincoln" and "Skyfall" to "Silver Linings Playbook."

This clunky, by-the-numbers placeholder serves to remind us all what dreck Hollywood is capable of pawning off on unsuspecting audiences. On the brighter side, it does provide something of a self-contained negative-feedback loop: Seeing "Playing for Keeps" is a crime that is its own punishment.

ANN HORNADAY (THE WASHINGTON POST)

coming soon » 12.14: A familiar adventure begins anew in "Lord of the Rings" prequel "The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey." **» 12.19:** Seth Rogen and Barbra Streisand hit the road together for a "Guilt Trip." **» 12.21:** Judd Apatow directs a sort-of sequel to 2007's "Knocked Up" with "This Is 40." **» 12.25:** Anne Hathaway, left, sings from the heart in an adaptation of "Les Miserables." **» 01.11:** "Zero Dark Thirty" dramatizes the SEAL Team Six raid that killed Osama bin Laden. (EXPRESS)

The Reelist

FILMDISTRICT

It Isn't Romantic

By Kristen Page-Kirby

First off, I have not seen "Playing for Keeps," which opens Friday, in spite of the fact that it features Gerard Butler using his actual Scottish accent and I will do nearly anything to hear a man speak in a Scottish accent. Any guy is better looking with a Scottish brogue, up to and including Scrooge McDuck.

I haven't seen "Playing for Keeps" for two major reasons: First, the night of the press screening I had a cold whose side effects included "longing for the sweet release of death." Second, I don't like romantic comedies where the "romantic" part is code for "one person screwing up another person's life."

In the film, George (Butler) realizes he wants to get back with his ex-wife (Jessica Biel) just as she's getting ready to marry someone else. This doesn't make George romantic. It makes him a jerk.

Here's a rule I'd like to declare: If you love someone — or think you do — and he or she is with someone else, keep your MOUTH SHUT. Because you probably had your chance (like, you were MARRIED to her, George) and you either screwed it up or were too chicken to tell the person then.

The best romantic comedies — "Sleepless in Seattle," "When Harry Met Sally," even "Bridget Jones's Diary" — aren't about one person pursuing another. They're about two people finding each other. That's what works in life, and it's what works in the movies.

Comments? Give Kristen your feedback: **readexpress.com/thereelist**

The Family Complex

A robbery goes awry for a pair of siblings in the grisly 'Deadfall'

Film Review

"Deadfall" wastes no time letting you know what you're in for. Mere seconds into the movie, a car is tumbling through the air like a wobbly football. Having just hit a deer, it has gone airborne, and we watch, in slow motion, as it and its contents — three nattily dressed casino robbers and a pile of cash — drift in seeming weightlessness before coming to a rest upside-down in the north Michigan snow, the driver's head through the windshield.

The film, by Oscar-winning Austrian director Stefan Ruzowitzky ("The Counterfeiters"), is an example of nouveau film noir in the manner of last year's "Drive," a genre characterized by often grisly violence, high style and a distinctly nihilistic outlook. In short order, the two surviving passengers, brother and sister Addison and Liza (Eric Bana and Olivia Wilde), have scooped up most of the money and set off separately on foot for Canada.

Eric Bana stars as Addison, a mesmerizing figure who is part angel of death, part angel of mercy.

And that's only after Addison has shot the state trooper who stopped to investigate, in the first of several gruesome incidents in his wake.

"Let's not dally," Addison says.

He doesn't, though the film itself does, taking a meandering, if compulsively watchable, path toward its bloody and strangely satisfying conclusion. As Addison and Liza split, "Deadfall" does as well, fracturing into multiple story lines that converge only late in the final reel, in a remote farmhouse on Thanksgiving.

MAGNOLIA PICTURES

After a casino heist goes wrong, brother and sister Addison (Eric Bana, left) and Liza (Olivia Wilde, right) split up and set off on foot through snowy Michigan in "Deadfall."

The main narrative involves the manhunt for Addison, a mesmerizing figure who is part angel of death and part angel of mercy. First, he steals a snowmobile, leaving its owner with a knife in his chest and lying in the snow — along with Addison's own accidentally severed pinkie.

Another thread follows Liza, whose flight path quickly intersects with that of Jay's (Charlie Hunnam), an ex-con who's also on the lam.

Deadfall (R)

- **Director:** Stefan Ruzowitzky
- **Stars:** Eric Bana, Olivia Wilde and Charlie Hunnam
- **In a Nutshell:** A thriller that follows two siblings who decide to fend for themselves in the wake of a botched casino heist.
- **For Fans of:** "Drive"

Ultimately, "Deadfall" is about letting go. Most of that theme is expressed through the relationship between Liza and Addison, whose love for his sister, it is strongly suggested, isn't purely fraternal.

Yes, there's a powerfully creepy sensibility to "Deadfall." But the way it handles the messiness of families — a universal message given vivid metaphorical life in the blood and guts it leaves in its path — is rewarding. MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN (THE WASHINGTON POST)

MUSIC BEAT

Grammy's Playlist

The Grammy Awards celebrated diversity as six artists nabbed six nominations each: Kanye West, Jay-Z, Dan Auerbach of the Black Keys, Mumford & Sons, fun. and Frank Ocean, above. R&B newcomer Miguel and jazz great Chick Corea earned five nods apiece. Drake, Rihanna, Taylor Swift, Kelly Clarkson, Hunter Hayes and Jack White were among 16 nominees with three nods. (AP)

There's No Escaping the Fires

'Burn' shines a light on the reality Detroit firefighters must face

Film Review

By now, we all know about Detroit: A former buzzing capital of industry, largely abandoned, is now scarred with thousands of vacant buildings.

But what we may not have realized is those deserted structures have become arsonist catnip. On the surface, the documentary "Burn" charts a year for a team of firefighters who battle an overwhelming number of blazes. But it's also an emotional character study of a group of heroic, yet human, individuals.

Directors Tom Putnam and Brenna Sanchez deserve credit for subject selection. The close-knit boys club that is Engine Company 50 is a lively bunch with a lot to say. Among the memorable personalities profiled is Dave Parnell, who lives where he works, on the blighted east side of Detroit. He speaks in adages, which both delight and infuriate his colleagues.

The filmmakers also focus on Brendan "Doogie" Milewski, a baby-faced thirtysomething who was a hard-partying guy until he lost the use of his legs when a fiery building facade collapsed on him.

COURTESY TOM PUTNAM AND BRENNA SANCHEZ

The film "Burn" documents a year in the lives of a team of Detroit firefighters.

The cards are undoubtedly stacked against these men. They have no resources, often resorting to duct tape to hold uniforms and trucks together. Every day promises dozens of fires, 95 percent of which the film says result from arson. But for many, firefighting is in their blood, a legacy they don't want to escape. They work second jobs to make ends meet in order to run into burning buildings.

The camera follows journeys into smoke-filled houses, and the subjects recount stories of collapsed roofs and plummeting bathtubs.

The unfortunate reality is that things don't get better over the course of the film. STEPHANIE MERRY (THE WASHINGTON POST)

Burn (NR)

- **Directors:** Tom Putnam and Brenna Sanchez
- **In a Nutshell:** A character-driven documentary about the struggling city of Detroit, told through the eyes of a group of Motor City firefighters.

entertainment lookout

One Tedious Leap

You'll spend a while 'Waiting for Lightning' to strike in this pro skateboarding doc

Film Review

There's more waiting than lightning in "Waiting for Lightning," a nonetheless watchable-enough documentary about the preparations leading up to professional skateboarder Danny Way's historic 2005 attempt to sail over the Great Wall of China on a skateboard.

Reminiscences about Way's personal and professional background, including miscellaneous injuries and competitive milestones — along with the emotional losses, in sequence, of Way's father, Dennis; his stepfather, Tim O'Dea; and his skating mentor, Mike Ternasky — form the core of the film. They are all discussed at great and repetitive length, but sometimes you just want to get to the main event. Or at least to the construction of the giant ramp that facilitated the jump.

Don't worry; it eventually comes. It's pretty gnarly, too (in both the "dangerous" sense of the word and the sense of "awesome"). Still, the parade of talking heads that precedes it — including pro skater Tony Hawk, surfing legend Laird Hamilton and Way's mother, Mary — goes on a little longer than feels absolutely necessary, especially for someone who is not, in point of fact, the messiah.

Skateboarding fans may disagree, of course.

In truth, the film is only for the converted. Those who have not been initiated into the church of skateboarding, or who simply don't buy the notion of the sport's power to miraculously heal emotional wounds, may find the whole thing, at times, a little, well, boring.

Sometimes you wait so long for lightning that the show itself is a little bit of a letdown.

MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN (THE WASHINGTON POST)

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Skateboarder Danny Way jumps over a gap in a scene from "Waiting for Lightning."

Waiting for Lightning (PG-13)

- **Director:** Jacob Rosenberg
- **In a Nutshell:** A documentary on pro skateboarder Danny Way's tough childhood and his contributions to the sport, leading up to his historic jump over the Great Wall of China.

Now Playing

Last weekend's top 5 films at the box office

FLIGHT (R, 138 minutes) "Flight" brings audiences perhaps the most harrowing scenes of a troubled airplane ever committed to film. Portrayed by Denzel Washington with his characteristic somber focus, ace pilot Whip Whitaker is introduced in the film's opening sequences waking up after a night of hard partying. Just another day on the commuter-flight circuit, until a dab of turbulence and a defective plane send Whip, his crew and his passengers on a spectacularly terrifying controlled dive from which the pilot will emerge a hero. Only a handful of people know that he's a sullied Sullenberger. The twist is that the arrogance and illusion of invulnerability that could keep him from saving his own life are the very qualities that help make him an excellent pilot. A.H.

THE WEINSTEIN COMPANY

Brad Pitt's "Killing Them Softly" did anything but at the box office, bowing with less than $7 million in ticket sales.

KILLING THEM SOFTLY (R, 97 minutes) As a new entry under the heading What Hath Tarantino Wrought, "Killing Them Softly" possesses a modicum of swagger and style, even as it perpetuates some of the crime genre's more tedious cliches, from slow-motion savagery to facile cynicism. Anchored by a terrific lead performance from Brad Pitt, this alternately bitterly funny and labored gangland parable might have felt bracingly new in an era before Quentin Tarantino and

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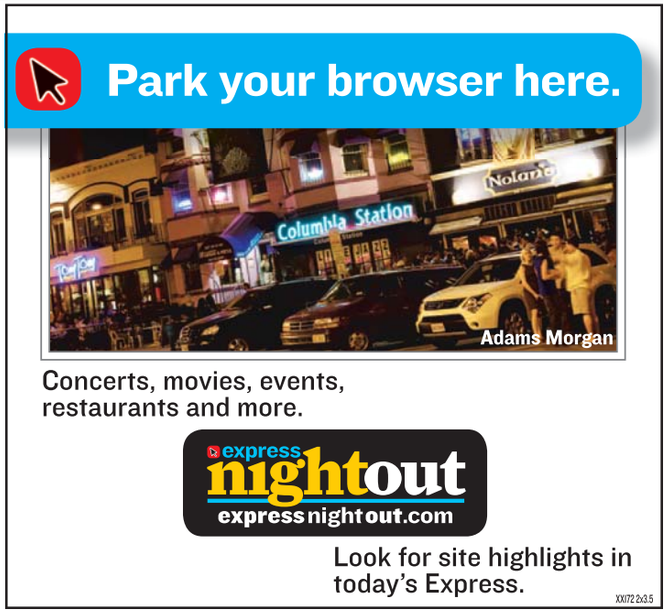

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successors like David Chase and Martin McDonagh conferred their profane blessing on the marriage of brutal screen violence and operatic, self-aware dialogue. Instead, any allegorical efforts feel strained, completely at odds with the air of seedy spontaneity that graces the film's most indelible and even delectable moments. A.H.

5 **LIFE OF PI** (PG, 127 minutes) The story of Piscine Molitor Patel, also known as Pi, "Life of Pi" begins with an Edenic panorama of his youth, which was spent in a small zoo run by his father in the former French colony of Pondicherry, India. When the Patels decide to move to Canada, taking the animals with them on a cargo ship, the trip is interrupted by a ruinous storm, resulting in Pi being thrown overboard, his only salvation a lifeboat he must share with the zoo's ferocious Bengal tiger, Richard Parker. Pi's journey with Richard Parker forms the spine of "Life of Pi," which director Ang Lee infuses with the graphic, stylized boldness of illustration and moments of dazzling poetry and intimacy. A.H.

ANDREW COOPER

Somehow, "The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn—Part 2" manages to find time for an arm-wrestling match between werewolf (Kellen Lutz) and vampire (Kristen Stewart).

4 **LINCOLN** (PG-13, 149 minutes) A peculiar, powerful alchemy takes hold in "Lincoln," Steven Spielberg's masterful portrait of the 16th U.S. president. Through that strange mix of realism, artifice, intimacy and scope that cinema uniquely possesses, viewers find themselves transported to 19th-century Washington, where Abraham Lincoln — portrayed in a surpassingly sympathetic performance by Daniel Day-Lewis — has just been re-elected to a second term. Spielberg infuses "Lincoln" with energy, acumen, surprising humor and the unabashed affection for his subject that most Americans will wholly understand and probably share. A.H.

3 **RISE OF THE GUARDIANS** (PG, 97 minutes) The arrival of the bogeyman, known as

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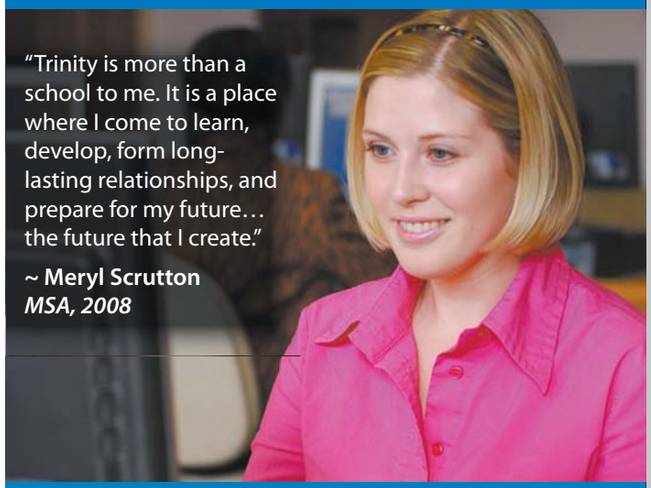

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Pitch Black (Jude Law), sets the story in motion. Pitch is the bringer of nightmares. His resurgence mobilizes the Guardians — Santa Claus, the Easter Bunny, the Tooth Fairy and the Sandman — who must accept the help of the untested and somewhat irresponsible young fifth spirit, Jack Frost. In addition to the showdown between the Guardians and Pitch there's another conflict. Few kids actually believe in the Guardians or Jack Frost, other than as a quaint metaphor for cold weather. But one little boy named Jamie refuses to give up his beliefs. It's this power of Jamie's belief that makes Jack, and the other Guardians, real again. The movie may not have been on your Christmas list, but with its fresh take on the power of myths, it is one present you won't want to return. M.O.

SILVER LININGS PLAYBOOK (R, 117 minutes) As the movie opens, Pat Solitano (Bradley Cooper) is being discharged from a psychiatric facility having been sent there after an incident involving his estranged wife. Meanwhile, he meets Tiffany (Jennifer Lawrence), a sharp-tongued young widow with an acute nonsense-detector and a knack for brutal honesty equaled only by Pat's own impulsive, socially disastrous candor. From the moment they meet and compare medication history, Pat and Tiffany settle into a staccato, argumentative rhythm. A.H.

2 **SKYFALL** (PG-13, 145 minutes) To succeed, a James Bond movie must traffic in equal parts sophistication and pure preposterousness, a winking willingness not to take itself so very seriously, but with writing, acting and production values of the highest order. All of those elements are on hand in "Skyfall," which at the outset finds Bond (Daniel Craig) in Istanbul, pursuing a bad guy through bazaars and over rooftops in a ludicrous motorcycle chase that at one point finds Bond making a wittily blase entrance into a moving train car. That episode will somehow go all pear-shaped, though, sending Bond into something of an existential spiral. A.H.

1 **THE TWILIGHT SAGA: BREAKING DAWN—PART 2** (PG-13, 116 minutes) For those with no vested interest in this protracted and supernatural soap opera, this will be, unsurprisingly, a silly and somewhat cheesily made waste of time. It opens with our once-mortal heroine, Bella (Kristen Stewart), who has just given birth to a half-human, half-vampire baby, Renesmee, with her new, undead husband, Edward (Robert Pattinson). The story clicks in after word reaches the Volturi — the vampire world's governing elite — that Renesmee may be a vampire baby who threatens to expose their carefully hidden vampire subculture. As Aro, the leader of the Volturi, Michael Sheen is a rare delight as he attempts to determine whether Edward and his family must be punished and Renesmee destroyed. It ain't much, but it passes for drama — if by "drama" you mean a climactic showdown in a field of snow. M.O.

WRECK-IT RALPH (PG, 93 minutes) The 3-D animated comedy is the story of a goofy bad guy out of a retro arcade game who "game jumps," leaving his cloistered universe in search of fulfillment in other games. It's a clever and original idea, but the narrative itself is overly busy, noisy and unengaging, with little of the charm and heart that won viewers over in the "Toy Story" franchise. In the title role of a hulking destroyer who's only good at smashing things but who dreams of becoming a hero, John C. Reilly manages to evoke the pathos of an outsider. And Sarah Silverman is pretty perfect as Vanellope von Schweetz, a tomboyish pre-adolescent driver in a kiddie drag-racing game. Like Ralph, Vanellope aspires to video-game greatness. Their friendship is what ultimately drives the movie. M.O.

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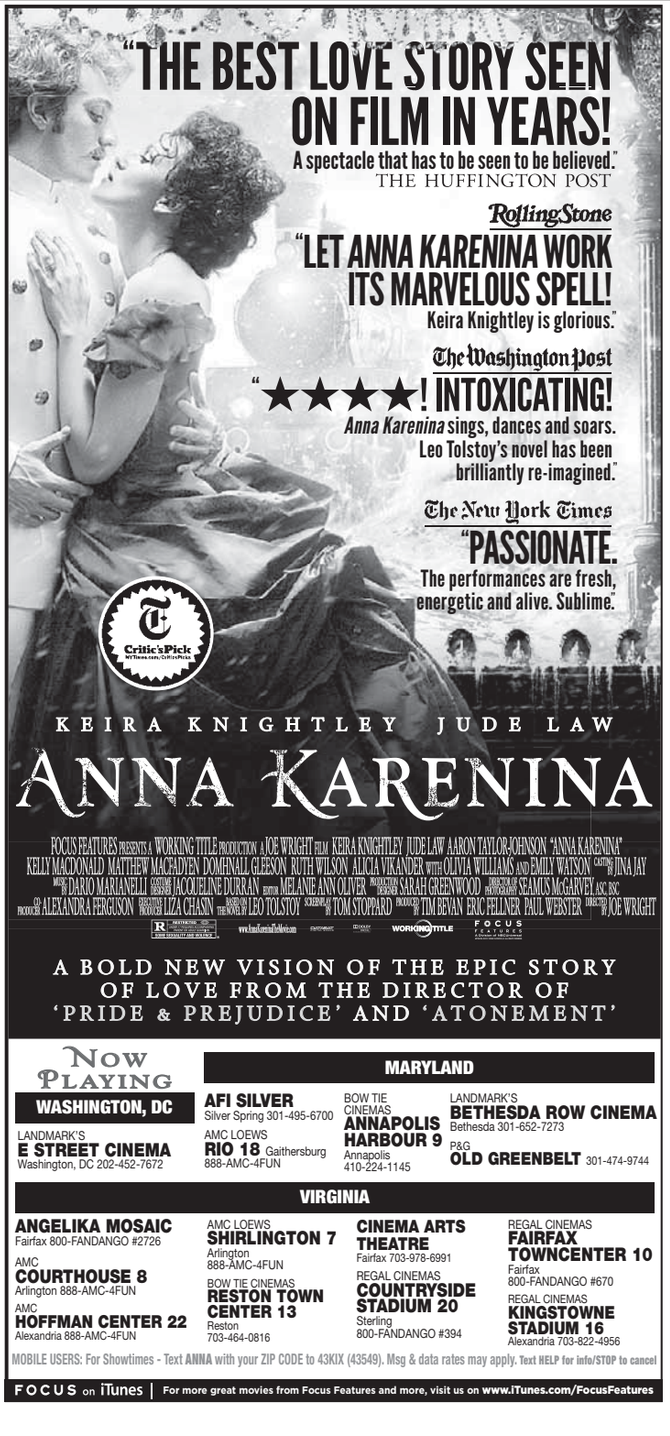

lookout entertainment

KOKO LANHAM

1 Lunar Landing

"A Trip to the Moon," inspired by the 1902 silent sci-fi film you watch in every college film class, is Synetic's dance-theater take on lunar exploration. It's a series of vignettes, with original music by Konstantine Lortkipanidze, shown, all headed by Natsu Onoda Power, who directed Studio Theatre's "Astro Boy and the God of Comics." ***Synetic Theater, 1800 S. Bell St., Arlington; through Jan. 6, $15-$55; 800-494-8497, Synetictheater.org. (Crystal City)***

2 What a Card

Kurt Braunohler, longtime comedy partner of Kristen Schaal, returns to the area after an appearance on the "Comedy Bang! Bang!" tour this summer. We're hoping the comedian has a new installment of his (very real) bit in which he buys greeting cards, signs them with a joke and them puts them back. ***Arlington Cinema & Drafthouse, 2903 Columbia Pike, Arlington; Fri.-Sat., 10 p.m., $20; 703-486-2345, Arlingtondrafthouse.com.***

3 Last Man Standing

Billy Corgan, shown, is the last remaining original member of the Smashing Pumpkins. Everyone else has left, maybe because of Corgan's reputedly indomitable vision — the band is whatever he wants it to be all the time. If you're on board with his alt-rock grandeur, go see their rescheduled show (the original fell victim to Superstorm Sandy). ***Patriot Center, 4400 University Drive, Fairfax; Sun., 8 p.m., $55; 703-993-3000, Patriotcenter.com.***

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AMC Loews Georgetown 14
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Life of Pi 3D (PG) RealD 3D: 10:20-4:45-8:00-10:20
The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn - Part 2 (PG-13) Digital Presentation: 11:50-2:50-5:45-8:45-11:20
Life of Pi (PG) Digital Presentation: 1:30
Skyfall (PG-13) Digital Presentation: 11:30-3:00-6:30-10:00
Rise of the Guardians (PG) Digital Presentation: 1:20-7:50
Playing for Keeps (PG-13) Digital Presentation: (!) 10:00-12:50-3:40-6:20-9:10
Flight (R) Digital Presentation: 11:20-2:40-6:10
Argo (R) Digital Presentation: 11:10-2:15-5:15-8:15-9:20
Burn: One Year on the Frontlines of the Battle to Save Detroit (NR) AMC INDEPENDENT;Digital Presentation: (!) 10:30-1:00-3:30-6:00-8:30-11:00
Silver Linings Playbook (R) Digital Presentation: 10:10-1:10-4:20-7:15-10:10
Killing Them Softly (R) Digital Presentation: (!) 11:00-1:40-4:10-6:50-11:20
Skyfall: The IMAX Experience (PG-13) Digital Presentation;IMAX: 12:30-4:00-7:30-10:50
Rise of the Guardians 3D (PG) RealD 3D: 10:50-10:40
Lincoln (PG-13) Digital Presentation: 10:40-12:00-2:00-3:15-5:30-7:00-9:00-9:45-10:30
Hitchcock (PG-13) AMC INDEPENDENT;Digital Presentation: 11:40-2:30-5:00-7:45-11:10

AMC Loews Uptown 1
3426 Connecticut Avenue N.W. www.AMCTheatres.com

Skyfall (PG-13) Digital Presentation: 4:15-8:00

AMC Mazza Gallerie
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Life of Pi 3D (PG) RealD 3D: (!) 10:40-4:40-7:30-10:30
The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn - Part 2 (PG-13) Digital Presentation: 11:40-2:30-5:10-7:50-10:35
Life of Pi (PG) Digital Presentation: (!) 1:40
Skyfall (PG-13) Digital Presentation: 10:10-1:20-4:30-7:40-10:50
Wreck-It Ralph (PG) Digital Presentation: 1:30-6:50
Flight (R) Digital Presentation: 12:30-3:50-7:10-10:15
Argo (R) Digital Presentation: 10:30-1:25-4:15-7:00-9:50
Wreck-It Ralph in 3D (PG) RealD 3D: 11:00-4:10-9:30
Lincoln (PG-13) Digital Presentation: (!) 12:40-4:00-7:20-10:40

Avalon
5612 Connecticut Avenue www.theavalon.org

Argo (R) 11:30-2:00-4:45-7:30
Silver Linings Playbook (R) 12:00-2:45-5:30-8:15

Landmark E Street Cinema
555 11th Street NW www.landmarktheatres.com

Chasing Ice (PG-13) 1:35-3:35-5:35-7:35-9:35
The Sessions (R) 2:20-4:50-7:20-9:50
Deadfall (Kin) (R) (!) 2:00-4:30-7:00-9:30-11:45
Anna Karenina (R) 12:45-2:15-3:45-5:15-6:45-8:15-9:45
Hitchcock (PG-13) 1:00-2:00-3:15-4:15-5:30-6:30-7:45-8:45-9:55
The Perks of Being a Wallflower (PG-13) 2:10-7:10
The Waiting Room (NR) 4:40-9:40-9:50
Deadfall (Kin) (R) 2:00-4:30-7:00-9:30-11:45
Strangers on a Train (PG) (!) 12:00AM; 12:00AM
The Rocky Horror Picture Show (R) 12:00AM

Regal Gallery Place Stadium 14
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Life of Pi 3D (PG) CC/DVS-Closed Captions & Descriptive Video Service: (!) 1:10-4:10-7:00-10:10
Red Dawn (PG-13) CC/DVS-Closed Captions & Descriptive Video Service: 3:20-9:50
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Silver Linings Playbook (R) CC-Closed Captions: 12:55-3:40-6:50-9:55-12:35
Killing Them Softly (R) CC-Closed Captions: 12:05-2:40-5:20-8:20-10:40
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End of Watch (R) CC/DVS-Closed Captions & Descriptive Video Service: 9:30
Lincoln (PG-13) CC/DVS-Closed Captions & Descriptive Video Service: 12:20-1:00-3:50-4:30-7:10-8:10-10:25-11:30-12:00

West End Cinema
2301 M Street NW http://westendcinema.com/

Argo (R) Ben Affleck stars & directs!: 4:30-7:00-9:30
Silver Linings Playbook (R) Bradley Cooper- Jennifer Lawrence- Robert De Niro & Jackie Weaver!: 2:20-4:50-7:20-9:50
Waiting For Lightning (PG-13) Skateboard legend Danny Way!: 3:40-5:40-7:40-9:40
A Late Quartet (R) 2:00

MARYLAND

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Anna Karenina (R) Silver Babies;no passes: (!) 11:00AM; (!) 1:40-4:15-7:05-9:40
The Sessions (R) 1:10-3:10-5:10-7:15-9:15; 11:10AM
Rushmore (R) 9:00
Miracle on 34th Street (1947) (NR) 5:00
Remember the Night (1940) (NR) 7:00
Sherlock Homes in Washington w/ The Spider Woman2:00

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The Collection (R) 2:25-5:00-9:55-12:40

VIRGINIA

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Life of Pi 3D (PG) RealD 3D;Reserved Seating: 12:10-1:10-3:10-4:10-6:10-7:10-9:10-10:10
Red Dawn (PG-13) Digital Projection;Reserved Seating: 12:30-3:15-5:40-8:10-10:40
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Wreck-It Ralph in 3D (PG) RealD 3D;Reserved Seating: 2:30-7:50
Anna Karenina (R) AMC INDEPENDENT;Digital Presentation;Reserved Seating: 12:00-3:00-6:00-9:00

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Life of Pi 3D (PG) 1:10-6:45-9:45

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Pitch Perfect (PG-13) 7:20

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TV weekend lookout

Serious Trust Issues

Sundance's 'Restless' is a cloak-and-dagger saga full of suspicion

Miniseries

FRI 9:00

Sundance Channel is about to present a deliciously suspenseful spy thriller that signals a new initiative for the network: more drama.

"Restless," a two-part miniseries that airs this Friday and next, would be an attention-getter if for no other reason than its blue-chip cast. There's delectable Hayley Atwell ("Captain America: The First Avenger"), veteran thespians Michael Gambon and Charlotte Rampling, and Rufus Sewell, who's the very definition of a dashing leading man. Plus, there's Michelle Dockery, whose return next month as Lady Mary Crawley is eagerly awaited by all "Downton Abbey" fans.

But there is more reason to recommend "Restless" than its fine troupe of actors.

ILZE KITSHOFF

Hayley Atwell, left, and Rufus Sewell, right, star in Sundance's thrilling "Restless."

Based on the best-selling novel by William Boyd, it weaves a double strand of intrigue set at the eve of World War II and in the 1970s.

It's a cloak-and-dagger saga chock-full of suspicion.

"Never trust anyone, ever. Especially not me," cautions Lucas Romer (Sewell), a shadowy and seductive British agent who has recruited young Eva Delectorskaya (Atwell) for his mission to draw the U.S. into the war effort by Britain.

"I would never trust you," Eva replies.

"You learn quickly," Lucas says.

The story, dense and brooding, intercuts between dual time frames (Rampling plays the older Eva).

"Restless" spins a smart, rich yarn and, even if its conclusion is a bit labored, the film delivers a satisfying twist. FRAZIER MOORE (AP)

Best Bets

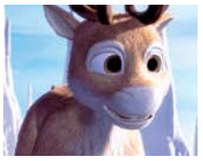
FRI 9:00

VGA Ten (SPK) Samuel L. Jackson, right, returns to host the 10th anniversary edition of the Video Game Awards. The VGAs pay tribute to the year's best in gaming and feature world premieres of next year's most anticipated games.

SAT 8:00

The American Giving Awards (NBC) Joel McHale hosts as charitable organizations in five fields — education, human rights, health and wellness, community leadership and youth development — are honored with five- and six-figure grants to further their work.

SAT 9:00



The Flight Before Christmas (CBS) A flying squirrel shows a young reindeer, who believes his long-lost father was part of Santa's airborne sleigh team, how to soar into the sky in this surprisingly dark and emotionally complex animated special from Finland.

SUN 10:00

Bamazon (HIST) Eight unemployed Alabama construction workers go deep into the Amazon jungle in search of gold. Using American know-how and Southern ingenuity, they move hundreds of tons of machinery across miles of treacherous jungle terrain. (TRIBUNE MEDIA)

Movies

Jingle Bell Rivalry

Sour notes turn to sour grapes in the original musical comedy "The Mistle-Tones" (Sun., 8 p.m., ABC Family). Talented Holly (Tia Mowry) sees red when a tone-deaf Marci (Tori Spelling, above) pulls strings to land the last spot in a local Christmas choir. Spite gives way to insight as Holly learns that the real spirit of the holidays has no place for bitterness. (UNIVERSAL UCLICK)

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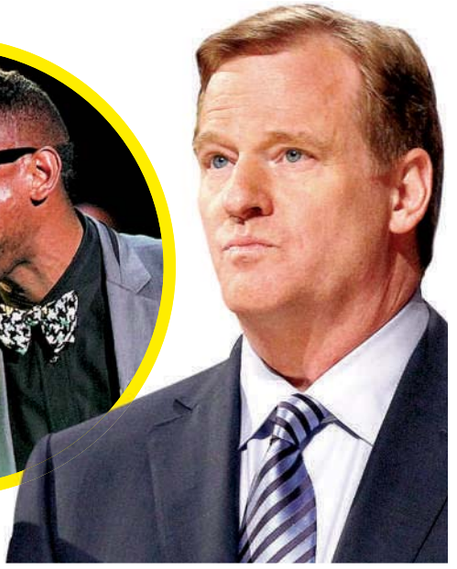

"Anne Hathaway's dress was as ridiculous as a castle on a cloud at the 'Les Mis' premiere"

—**DODAI STEWART AT JEZEBEL.COM** channels the movie's signature song while insulting the star actress's clothing from Wednesday night in London.

" 'Tron: Overkill' RT @vulture: RT @NYMag: Disney is moving forward on a third #Tronmovie"

—**@ALEXWEPRIN** reacts to the news and doesn't think the movie franchise needs another part.

"Charles Schulz's Peanuts captured the hearts and minds of millions during its long run, and continues in various cartoons, comic spin-offs and other products. But as it turns out the beloved cartoonist also used his Peanuts characters to win the heart of at least one woman during a brief courtship."

—**CHRIS ARRANT AT ROBOT6.COMICBOOKRESOURCES.COM** sheds light on why Sotheby's is auctioning off letters that Schulz sent in the 1970s to a woman named Tracey Claudius.

"Also, what the heck is 'Urban Contemporary?' #grammy nominees"

—**@CARAPHRASED** was a bit confused by the categories of this year's 55th annual Grammy Awards nominees. The Best Urban Contemporary Album nods went to Frank Ocean, Miguel (above) and Chris Brown.

"Not only was Goodell a narc in high school, but he's apparently PROUD of it! What kind of horrible human being looks back on his high school days and thinks, 'Boy, that sure was fun when I told on Bobby for drinking Thunderbird behind the equipment shed!'?"

—**DREW MAGARY AT DEADSPIN.COM** was unimpressed to hear that NFL commissioner Roger Goodell revealed in a Time magazine profile that he would rat out players at his high school for violating the school's no-drinking policy for athletes.

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Horoscope

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) You may not want to face what someone else has in store today, but you will soon realize that real progress depends upon it.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You have something surprising up your sleeve, but today may not be the day to reveal it.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) You are not likely to respond to the kinds of cliche statements and answers that many will offer; you may want to be on your own.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) You expected one thing but are likely to get something quite different today; even when all is said and done, you may be a bit disappointed.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You will want to give an ally a bit more time to do what is required — and what you know he or she can do very well indeed.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) "It's a keeper!" That's what you'll be saying about something you merely stumbled across — and you're not in the mood to share, either!

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Address issues directly and they're not likely to develop into anything you cannot handle with ease. Strike while the iron is hot!

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You'll find that good humor and a willingness to laugh at yourself will surely serve you well throughout an otherwise trying day.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) The wisdom you display will be appreciated by those who have not experienced what you have — and by those who have, as well.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) They say you cannot please all the people all the time, but today you may come quite close. Your charm carries the day, surely.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Now is no time to deceive those who are deserving of nothing but the truth. Any attempt to distort the facts will surely backfire on you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You will want to investigate reports of misbehavior; surely you are not guilty of all that has been said about you!

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Scrabble Grams

PAR SCORE 195-205, BEST SCORE 257

							Double Word Score	RACK 1
E1	I1	U1	C3	T1	C3	L1		
								RACK 2
A1	E1	O1	D2	H4	L1	T1		
								RACK 3
A1	E1	E1	N1	D2	T1	S1		
							3rd Letter Triple	RACK 4
E1	E1	I1	L1	N1	C3	D2		

Yesterday's Solution

R1	O1	B3	O1	T1	R1	Y4	RACK 1 =	86
C3	O1	N1	C3	E1	R1	N1	RACK 2 =	62
H4	A1	Y4	S1	E1	E1	D2	RACK 3 =	64
H4	U1	R1	T1	L1	E1		RACK 4 =	9
PAR SCORE 145-155							TOTAL	221

FOUR RACK TOTAL _____

Make a 2-7 letter word from the letters in each row. Add points of each word using scoring directions at right. Seven-letter words get a 50-point bonus. Blank tiles used as any letter have no point value. Scrabble is a trademark of Hasbro in the U.S. and Canada.

Sudoku

DIFFICULT

	6			1	9	2		
		2		3			1	8
		4		7				
			1	5			9	
		3		6		8		
	5			9	3			
				2		9		
2	3			8		1		
		9	5	4			6	

Yesterday's Solution

9	7	4	6	2	1	8	5	3
6	1	2	5	8	3	4	7	9
3	5	8	7	4	9	6	1	2
8	6	7	3	1	2	9	4	5
5	4	3	8	9	6	7	2	1
2	9	1	4	7	5	3	6	8
7	2	9	1	3	4	5	8	6
1	8	5	9	6	7	2	3	4
4	3	6	2	5	8	1	9	7

Need more Sudoku? Find another puzzle in the Comics section of The Post every Sunday and in the Style section Monday through Saturday.

Comics

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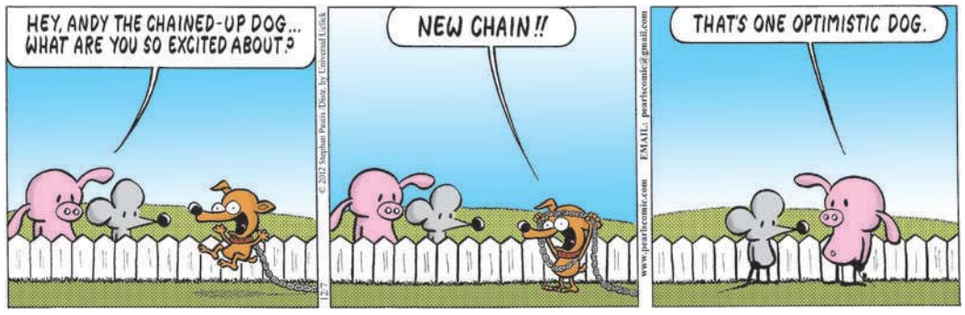

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52 | 48

Today: Mostly cloudy today and tonight.

66 | 48

Tomorrow: Milder tomorrow with variable clouds. A little rain tomorrow night.

Looking Ahead

SUN	MON	TUE
58 | 54	69 | 39	48 | 31

Sun and Moon
Sunrise today: 7:13 a.m.
Sunset today: 4:46 p.m.
Moonrise today: 12:33 a.m.
Moonset today: 12:38 p.m.

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Crossword

TRAFFIC SIGNS

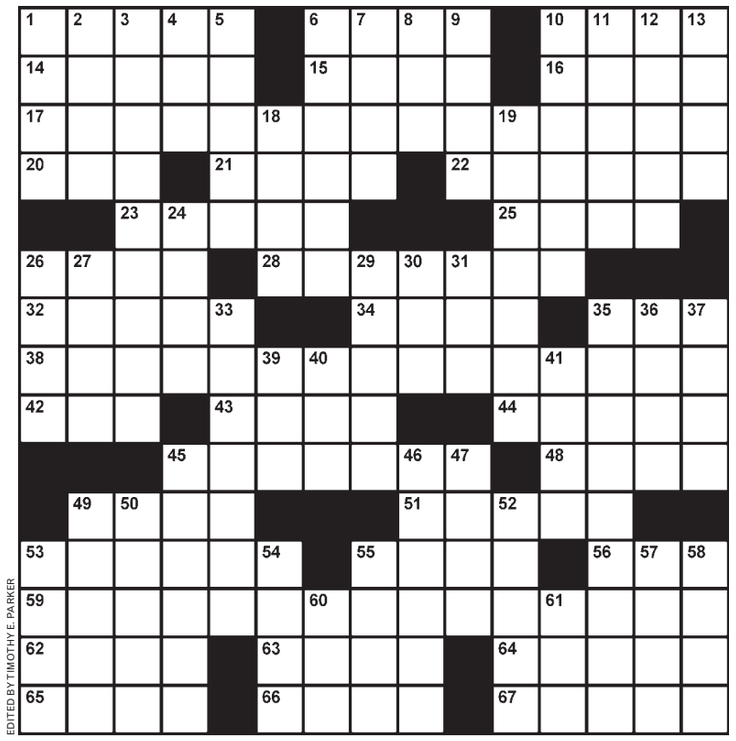
ACROSS

1 Group bent on a coup
6 Seeing through the deception of
10 Car wash cache
14 One kind of therapy
15 Change direction suddenly
16 What a surveyor finds
17 Get a bad situation under control
20 Attendance fig., often
21 ___ d'oeuvres
22 Almond willows
23 Highlander with land
25 Cabbage variety
26 Ollie's sidekick
28 Blowhole?
32 Powerful couple in publishing, once
34 Sports squad
35 Mu ___ pork
38 Words of determination
42 "That ___ a close one!"
43 Array of options
44 Swashbuckler's weapon
45 Historic stone
48 God of war
49 Fix, at the vet's office
51 Pessimistic expectation
53 Brothers-in-arms
55 Trig ratio
56 TV network letters
59 Knuckle under
62 Hamburg's river
63 Egg-shaped, e.g.
64 Swing bandleader Shaw
65 Colored, as Easter eggs
66 They're never "civil"
67 ___ up (gets smart)

DOWN

1 Sherlock's undertaking
2 Bachelor of ___
3 Some workers' footwear securers
4 Electric guitar must
5 Indian police officer's club
6 Go to extremes
7 Bills on birds
8 Abbr. on business cards
9 Common cookie
10 Kind of saw or tire
11 Israel's Sharon
12 Jazz or opera, e.g.
13 Hangs heavy
18 Basketball game-ending sound
19 Mukluk wearers
24 All over again
26 Tap the brakes
27 Salad type
29 Drum major's gait
30 Afternoon social
31 Bled in the wash
33 Arctic dog
35 Efficiency improvers
36 "Take this"
37 Asian legumes
39 Happy response to a marriage proposal
40 Atomic number of hydrogen
41 "___ the night before Christmas ..."
45 Complained bitterly
46 Twirls, as one's hair
47 Highly rated
49 With cunning (Var.)
50 First-year cadet
52 Further shorten, as a piece of wood
53 Voiced approval, in a way
54 Put in a hold
55 Fight verbally
57 Camembert's kin
58 Has dates with
60 Reproductive cells
61 ___ Lanka

Yesterday's Solution



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Samurai Sudoku

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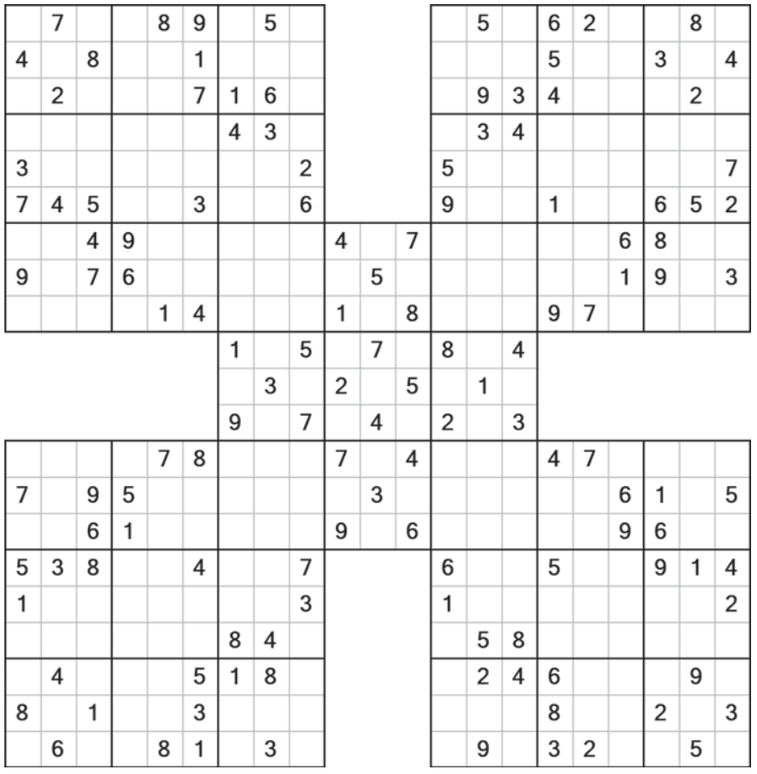
Fill in each column, row and 3x3 box with the digits 1 through 9 without repeating any. The twist in Samurai Sudoku is that the digits that appear in the overlapping boxes must work for both puzzles. A piece of advice to get you started: Don't focus on completing one grid at a time. Keep the whole puzzle in mind as you go, because filling in a number in one grid could give you clues to another.



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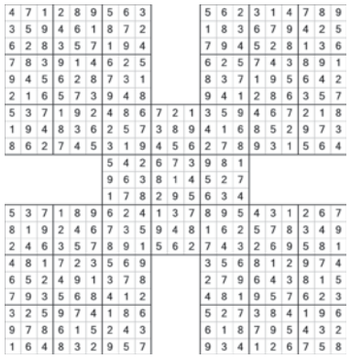
Last Week's Solution



Today in History

1909 Chemist Leo H. Baekeland receives a U.S. patent for Bakelite, the first synthetic plastic.

1941 Japan launches a surprise attack on the U.S. Navy base at Pearl Harbor in Hawaii. The raid, which claimed some 2,400 American lives, prompts the United States to declare war against Japan the next day.

1972 America's last moon mission to date is launched as Apollo 17 blasts off from Cape Canaveral.

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'He's Still Famous, So Surely He Must Be Talented ... Right?'

Justin Bieber's manager, Scooter Braun, tweeted his anger Wednesday when no Grammy nominations were announced for Bieber. "This time there won't be any wise words, no excuses, I just plain DISAGREE," he wrote. "The hardest thing to do is transition, keep the train moving. The kid delivered." (EXPRESS)

SKINNY PEOPLE

'Here's Some Fatty Food. Can I Watch You Eat It?'

Unnamed sources tell Radaronline.com that Reese Witherspoon's former neighbors in Ojai, Calif., miss her baked goods: "Whenever someone new moved into the area and Reese was in town, she would immediately welcome them with a baked cake. ... It must have been an incredible surprise for them opening the door to a Hollywood A-lister." (EXPRESS)

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Reese practices autographs for her obvious impending cookbook launch.

Victims

7-Year-Olds Have More Nuanced Fights Than This

A feud among LeAnn Rimes, Eddie Cibrian and Brandi Glanville escalated on Twitter on Wednesday. Glanville told Us Weekly that Rimes abuses drugs and alcohol; Cibrian responded with a scathing email; Glanville tweeted "find ur balls" and made more accusations. (EXPRESS)

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TMZ'S SHORTCOMINGS

Still No Ultrasound

The Duchess of Cambridge left a London hospital Thursday after being treated for acute morning sickness related to her pregnancy. Clutching a small bouquet of yellow roses, the former Kate Middleton smiled and posed briefly for a photograph alongside her husband, Prince William, before leaving King Edward VII Hospital. She stepped delicately into a waiting car. The couple's office said she would head to Kensington Palace in London for a period of rest. She had been in the hospital since Monday. (AP)

GOOD ~~TIDINGS~~ RIDDANCE

'Dear Ex, Thank Heaven It's Not Mine. Blessings, Hugh.'

Hugh Hefner tweeted his sympathy to pregnant ex-girlfriend Holly Madison (of "Girls Next Door" fame) on Wednesday. In a now-deleted post, he wrote: "I hope Holly Madison is feeling better after being hospitalized for morning sickness in the late stages of her pregnancy. Love, Hef." Madison is dating Pasquale Rotella. (EXPRESS)

"I was reading a book ... and I was three months pregnant. They said your baby is the size of an olive and that was it."

—**DREW BARRYMORE** TELLS ELLEN DEGENERES HOW HER AND HUSBAND WILL KOPELMAN'S INFANT CAME TO BE NAMED "OLIVE."

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